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Denies Fire Was in Kitchen.
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Come this week, as often as possible, view the styles and make your selections for Spring from our beautiful new stocks, which are the best for the price no matter what the price.

See the Style Pageant—Styles of 1800 to 1914

In connection with our Exhibition of the New Styles for the Spring and Summer of 1914 we have on display a special exhibit of original garments, bonnets, shawls, etc., which date back to 1800, which is very interesting and which is attracting a tremendous amount of attention. This exhibit will be found on the Third Floor.

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Among the many laces you will find here tomorrow are these: Real Valenciennes, Real Point Venise, Real Milan, Real Duchesse, Real Rose Point, Real Point Applique, Real Irish Needle Point, Real Irish Crochet, Real Limerick, Real Carriemacross, Real Irish Point, Real Filet and Real Cluny Laces in an almost endless variety of styles.

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OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH

In connection with James McCreery & Co., New York

Our Exhibition and Sale of New Spring Merchandise Is Drawing Tremendous Crowds to Our Store

This is proving the most successful event of its kind that we have ever held, chiefly because of the fact that we have so much more room this time than formerly. The additional space has allowed us to increase the size of all departments and, in consequence, our stocks are bigger and more varied.

Come this week, as often as possible, view the styles and make your selections for Spring from our beautiful new stocks, which are the best for the price no matter what the price.

See the Style Pageant—Styles of 1800 to 1914

In connection with our Exhibition of the New Styles for the Spring and Summer of 1914 we have on display a special exhibit of original garments, bonnets, shawls, etc., which date back to 1800, which is very interesting and which is attracting a tremendous amount of attention. This exhibit will be found on the Third Floor.

A Remarkable Sale of Real Laces and Real Lace Neckwear at an Average Saving of a Half

A fortunate purchase of the stock of William Wampole Bell of 160 Fifth av., New York City, an importer of Real Laces, who was retiring from business, enables us to offer you about \$10,000.00 worth of the finest Real Laces and Real Lace Neckwear at about half their actual values.

This is an opportunity that is likely to occur but once in the lifetime of a woman who is a lover of beautiful real laces, and, coming as it does at the very time when they will be wanted for Spring and Summer garments, makes this event the most important of its kind that we have ever held.

There Is a Wonderful Lot of Laces Represented in This Sale

Among the many laces you will find here tomorrow are these: Real Valenciennes, Real Point Venise, Real Milan, Real Duchesse, Real Rose Point, Real Point Applique, Real Irish Needle Point, Real Irish Crochet, Real Limerick, Real Carrickmacross, Real Irish Point, Real Filet and Real Cluny Laces in an almost endless variety of styles.

There are Edges, Insertions, Beadings, Motifs, Gallons, Flounces, Bands and Allovers, which will be offered, while they last, as follows:

Real Duchesse, Real Irish, Real Rose Point, Real Milan, Real Venetian and Real Point Applique Laces that regularly sell at \$12.50 to \$75.00 a yard, are offered in this sale, while they last, at \$7.50 to \$35.00

The Neckwear in This Sale Is Especially Beautiful

Duchesse Lace Collars, Berthas and Yokes, also Baby Irish and Milan, Cluny and Filet Point Laces; regular \$15.00 quality. Sale price \$7.50

Real Venetian, Real Irish, Real Duchesse and Rose Point Collars. Yokes and Collar and Cuff Sets; the regular \$25.00 and \$30.00 qualities. Sale price \$12.50

JURY COMPLETED IN GEROLD TRIAL ON GRAFT CHARGE

Former East Side Treasurer's
Effort to Disqualify T. M.
Webb as Lawyer Overruled.

The jury to try E. Fred Gerold, former Treasurer of East St. Louis, on a charge of diverting \$50,000 of city funds, was completed in the East St. Louis City Court Tuesday afternoon.

Attorney Daniel J. Sullivan, representing Gerold, filed a motion asking that Thomas M. Webb, brother of State's Attorney Charles Webb, be disqualified from appearing as an attorney for the prosecution. The motion was accompanied by an affidavit made by Gerold.

Gerold, the affidavit said, had employed Thomas Webb to represent him in a civil suit touching on the same subject and had prepared for Gerold a resolution to be presented to the City Council when Gerold was making an effort to adjust the city's claim against him for \$35,000 of the money he is now accused of embezzling. As Gerold's counsel, it was alleged, Webb had obtained from him much information of a private and confidential nature which it would be unprofessional for him to use as an assistant prosecutor at the present trial.

Thomas M. Webb, replying to the affidavit, said that Gerold's statement should not be taken as true. In a tilt with Attorney Sullivan, Webb denied that he ever represented Gerold in any criminal case and said that all of his professional relations with Gerold came to an end before Gerold was indicted. Judge Pope ruled against Sullivan and permitted Webb to remain in the case as assistant to the State's Attorney.

GREW RICH FROM LIQUOR, CONDEMNED IT IN HIS WILL

Pittsburg Merchant's Heirs Sue
Over Stipulation They Shall
Not Traffic in It.

PITTSBURG, March 10.—Although he made his fortune of more than \$500,000 in the wholesale liquor business, Jacob Friday, who died April 15, 1913, had inserted in his will, which is being contested here, a provision expressly stipulating that "any beneficiary who directly or indirectly engaged in the liquor business shall forfeit all rights and claims to the estate."

Mr. Friday formerly was one of the leading members of the W. M. J. Friday & Co., the largest wholesale liquor dealers in this city. His will is being contested in the Orphans' Court on the ground the testator did not have testamentary capacity at the time it was drawn. The appeal is being made by Mary F. Lightner, Mary B. Tigh, Stella Friday and other beneficiaries.

SWEETHEART: You know I love you. Why don't you buy me a diamond ring at Little Bros. & Co., 308 N. 5th st.

CHICAGO BROKER KILLED BY TRAIN, JURY FINDS

CHICAGO, March 10.—Casius M. Fairman, the Oak Park broker, whose body was found on the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad track a week ago, was killed by a train, according to the verdict of a coroner's jury.

The jury failed to account for Fairman's presence in West Chicago, where the body was found. He was killed after he had announced that he intended to start that night to visit his fiancée, Miss Elizabeth Davidson of Springfield, Neb. Later she came here and helped investigate his death.

Railroad detectives expressed a belief that Fairman was dead before being placed on the tracks. The evidence showed that the body was nude when found and that the vest, overcoat and underwear were found some 300 feet from the body.

The suit case with a railroad ticket, which it was supposed Fairman had purchased, have not been found.



W.B. CORSETS

give Fashion's lines to every figure. Bustless, hipless—almost no lacing, give flexibility which allows graceful, unrestrained movements in any posture. Shrink-like in fit, they mold the figure into slender sylph-like lines.

W. B. NUFORM STYLE 437
For average figure. No bust lines. Charming model. \$2.50

W. B. NUFORM STYLE 438
For well developed figure. Very low bust line. No bust lines over hips. \$3.00

W. B. NUFORM STYLE 439
For well developed figure. Deep bust line. No bust lines over hips. \$3.00

W. B. NUFORM STYLE 440
For well developed figure. Deep bust line. No bust lines over hips. \$3.00

At All Dealers
WEINGARTEN BROS., New York

The Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Company

Announce tomorrow the second and last day of the

Formal Spring Opening

At which the latest accepted modes and the best efforts of French, German, English and American makers in

*Afternoon and Evening Dresses
Skirts
Tailored and Fancy Suits
Spring Coats and Wraps
Waists and Blouses
Misses' and Girls' Wear
Millinery*

will be presented.

Special displays revealing the new season's modes on living models, will occur at 10 a. m. and at 2 p. m.

The March Sale of Rugs and Carpets

Very Special—Axminster Rugs, \$16.75

Come in a good assortment of floral and Oriental designs, with a rich, soft, deep pile, and are of an exceptionally high grade. Size 9x12 feet.

Brussels Rugs, \$15

Triple extra Brussels Rugs—the best grade made—in the very new designs—pretty small all over as well as medallion effects—size 9x12 feet.

Axminster Rugs, \$25

Extra large size Rugs, in beautiful Oriental and floral designs—size 11 ft. 3 in. by 12 ft.

Axminster Rugs, \$37.50

Extra large size (12x13½ feet), high grade Axminster Rugs, in a choice variety of patterns and colorings.

Axminster Rugs, \$2

27x54-inch Axminster Rugs, of extra fine grade and in Oriental and floral designs.

(Fourth Floor.)

85c Imported Scotch Linoleums

55c Sq. Yd.

2000 square yards of the very best quality imported Scotch Linoleums, in the 4-yard width, and in blue and white block, light blue mosaic tile, tan and green all over and hardwood designs—at the special price of 55c square yard.

(Fourth Floor.)

We've a Specially-Bought Collection

of 1600 Vanities to Sell at 79c

We captured from an Eastern maker his entire surplus and sample stocks of Vanity Cases—1600 pieces in all.

They are the kind of Vanities which you would never associate with such an insignificant price as 79c.

In fact, there are plenty in the lot which would

Sell Regularly at \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, and Even \$3

Come in all the new thin models, also oval and oblong shapes, in French gray, satin and polished finishes, in sizes which are very appropriate for calling or shopping use. Made of fine grade German silver and heavily sterling silver plated, with soldered fancy chain handles.

They have coin compartments, also space for powder with small puff, writing tablet and space for cards.

Each Vanity is supplied with hidden hinges, and all-in-all this is the biggest value of the kind we have offered in many a day.

Choose Wednesday from this lot of 1600 Vanities, in thirty different styles—regular \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 quantities—at the special price of

79c

(Main Floor.)

Women's "Adler" Spring Gloves

To Sell at Less

They came from the salvage sale which followed the fire at the manufacturing plant where Adler Gloves are made.

We secured 200 dozen women's high-grade Capeskin Gloves, made for this season's selling, and none of which was damaged whatever either by fire or water.

\$1.50 Gloves, \$1 Pr.

Adler's "Yuno" Gloves, in tan and gray. Sizes 5½ to 7—choice Wednesday, at \$1 pair

\$1.25 Gloves, 85c Pr.

Adler's Walking Gloves, in all shades of tan. One large clasp and P. X. M. sewn seams—all sizes from 5½ to 7—at

85c pair

(Main Floor.)

No Two Eyes Are Alike

Ordinary stock lenses are often the cause of eye ills. If you suffer from headaches, nervousness or other troubles, these may be symptoms of eye ills, which could be remedied by the wearing of Glasses.

Double Vision Lenses (aphorical), such as other stores sell at \$2.50 and \$4.50—at

\$1.50 and \$2

Compound Toric Lenses, priced at other stores at \$5 and \$6—at

\$3.50 and \$4

Gold Patent Eyeglass Mountings, extra special—at

\$1.50

(Main Floor.)

Walking Stick Special

Men's new English Crooked-Handle Walking Sticks, in all the leading shades—suede, rose, cherry and oak.

Regular \$1.50 Sticks, priced Wednesday

—At \$1

(Main Floor.)

New Wall Paper

Papers in dark shades, for parlors, living rooms, dining rooms and hall—in combinations.

Bedroom Papers, in chintz, Dresden, satin-striped and cretonne effects.

7c roll

12c roll

(Fourth Floor.)

"Kayser" Silk Underwear and Bloomers

A Favorite With Every Woman

Our stocks of these delightful garments are at high ebb and choosing is particularly good at this time.

"Kayser" plain Italian Silk Vests, in pink and white. Crochet edge, silk ribbon in neck and arms, \$1.50

"Kayser" embroidered Italian Silk Vests, \$2.25

"Kayser" embroidered Italian Silk Vests, in white and pink. Tubular band in neck and arms—special values at \$2.50

"Kayser" plain Italian Silk Union Suits, with crochet edge, silk ribbon in neck and armholes and with tight knees. Come in white and pink—priced, \$3.25

"Kayser" embroidered Italian Silk Union Suits, in pink and white—tubular band neck and arms and tight knees—priced, \$3.75

"Kayser" embroidered Italian Silk Union Suits, at \$4.50

"Kayser" Italian Silk Bloomers, in all the wanted shades—knee length—regular sizes, \$2.98

Extra sizes, \$3.50

"Kayser" Italian Silk Tanga Bloomers, in plain or shadow lace—all the wanted shades, \$4.85

(Main Floor.)

The Famed Poret Silks

To Sell at \$1.98 Yard

Beautiful Silks, patterned by Paul Poret, in the Martine School of Decorative Design in Paris, and made in America.

Presented by a Number of Stores All Over America at \$4.50 a Yard

The same curious designs and odd colorings—the Peking, Lizeron, Rameau and others, at less than half the original price.

Come in the 42-inch width, and she who would have a distinctive gown will gladly make selection of these quite wonderful Silks at

\$1.98 yard

(Second Floor.)

Finest Foreign Ratines

A Quality Usually Selling at \$2 Special, \$1.25 Yard

This is a one-day offer, and brings choice of our entire line of French and German Ratines at the price of \$1.25 yard.

Come in solid colors, stripes, plaids and checks, and in the 36-inch widths.

Choice, Wednesday only, at

\$1.25 yard

(Second Floor.)

A Small Sale With Big Savings in Toilet Articles

Kirk's Corona Bath Soap—assorted oatmeal, buttermilk or witch hazel, seven 5c cakes at 25c

Kirk's Juvenile Toilet Soap—box of three cakes, 20c

Peroxide Toilet Soap—large oval cakes—each, 7c

Olive Oil Castile Soap—white or green, 38c bar

Castile Soap—13-ounce bars—special, three for 25c, or 10c bar

American Castile Soap—regularly 25c bar—at 18c

Carmichael's English Bath Tablet, regularly 25c—at 18c

(Main Floor.)

Cooking Lectures

Mrs. F. Violet Sanborn of New York City, the recognized authority in matters pertaining to Domestic Science, is giving lectures on home cooking twice daily at 10:30 A. M. and 2:15 P. M.

For Wednesday her subject will be

Swiss Cookery

Housewares

Special Values to be Offered Wednesday.

Clothes Washers, 59c

"Perfection" Vacuum Clothes Washers, placed in boiler, wash the dirtiest as well as the heaviest garments without the aid of the hands. Made to sell for \$2.50 (none exchanged, credited or sent C. O. D.), at the special price of

59c each

Clothes Baskets, 65c

Made of imported willow, with strong handles and 18-inch bottom.

Wash Boilers, \$1.50

Wash Boilers, size 8—made of heavy tin, with copper bottom, drop handles.

Clothes Wringers, \$3.98

With wood frames, good rubber rolls, which are guaranteed, and easy to operate.

98c Sets of Irons, 65c

Consisting of three Mrs. Pott's nickel-plated Irons, Stand and Handle, complete.

\$3.10 Teakettles, \$1.95

Teakettles of imported aluminum, seamless, sanitary and light to handle—flat bottom—6 quart capacity—usually \$3.10—special, \$1.95

7 Bars Scourall, 25c

For Wednesday's special selling we offer this splendid cleaning and scouring article at

seven bars for 25c

70c Laundry Tubs, 55c

Large-size Laundry Tubs, made of heavy galvanized iron, with drop handles.

(Fifth Floor.)

The Basement Store's Wednesday Sales

25c White & Colored Voiles (40-In.), 12c Yd.

White Madras, 10c Yard

Come in small checks and stripes for underwear and shirts—special, 10c yard

75c Ready-made Sheets, 55c

Ready-made bleached Sheets—seamless—size 81x90 inches, 55c

15c Apron Lawns, 9c Yard

White Apron Lawns, of extra width (40 inches)—at 9c yard

\$3.50 Table Sets, \$2.69

Consisting of 60x78-inch hem-stitched Pattern Cloths, or bleached German linen damask, with one-half dozen Napkins to match—complete, \$2.69

(Basement.)

15c Crepe Lisse, 10c Yard

A soft, crepe-finish material, with neat black and colored stripes—special, 10c yard

19c Suits, 12c Yard

Heavy, corded Poplin Suits, in black, white and colors—special Wednesday, 12c yard

3 O'Clock Special

All-white, or white with pink or blue bordered, crinkled

Bedspreads

sizes 72x90 and 81x90 inches—of \$1.50 quality.

98c Each

(Basement.)

Extra Special—1000 Pairs Lace Curtains, 75c a Pr.

A thousand-pair lot of Nottingham Lace Curtains, all full width and 3 yards in length. They are made with overlapped stitched edges, which will not pull off when laundered. Come in a fine assortment of patterns, including copies of Brussels, Battenberg, Cluny and Arabian laces—special, 75c pr.

\$2 Lace Curtains at \$1.15 Pair

In an excellent assortment of pretty patterns which are reproduced from handmade kinds.

Curtain Materials, 10c Yard

Printed Curtain Madras and Caseament Cloths, in handsome patterns and color combinations, and launder beautifully.

Curtain Scrims, 15c Yard

Plain Curtain Scrims, of extra quality. Suitable for making curtains and for mounting hand-crochet laces.

\$2.25 and \$2.50 Lace Curtains, \$1.40

About 300 pairs of Lace Curtains, in floral and conventional designs, and of splendid qualities.

Cretonnes, 18c Yard

All in the very newest designs and color combinations, and make beautiful bedroom draperies, box coverings and laundry bags.

(Basement.)

The Sample and "Over-Cut" Stock of the Celebrated "Gold Medal" House Dresses

And Other Well-Known Makes for Which This Section Has Such a Reputation At 79c

Whereas the Values Are \$1, and \$1.50

The best House Dress sale news we have printed in many months!

Several dozen styles, and you may rest assured the Dresses are made of splendid quality materials—percales, ginghams and chambrays.

Trimmings of piping, plaits and tucks—sailor and turn-down collars.

Choice of high or low neck style, all sizes and colors.

34 to 44-inch bust measurement in these regular \$1 and \$1.50 House Dresses, to sell Wednesday at 79c

(Basement.)

We announce completion of our stocks of Dix-Made, Utility and Good Morning House Dresses at \$1, \$1.25 and up.

(Basement.)

Stix, Baer & Fuller D.G. Co. GRAND-LEADER

Entire Block—Sixth, Washington, Seventh and Lucas

Orphan Girls to Have College.
PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—The establishment of a college for orphan girls similar to Grand College for boys is assured by a decision of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court sustaining the will of Robert M. Carson, the railway magnate, who died in 1906. Carson left his estate of about \$5,000,000 in trust to be used for the endowment of the proposed college.

Store, Range and Furnace Repairs.
A. G. Brauer Supply Co., 218 N. 2d st.

MEN WHO LOST LIVES PROMINENT IN MANY ROLES

Allen R. Hancock an M. A. C. Water Polo Star and Graduate of Central High.

Allen R. Hancock, a salesman for the Underwood Typewriter Co., who perished in the fire, was star member of the M. A. C. water polo team, which wrested the national championship from the Chicago Athletic Association in 1912. He had been an athlete all his life, first winning laurels at the Central High School, from which he was graduated in 1908.

He often passed the night at the club after working late or training in the club gymnasium. He was in the club with friends at 12:45 a. m. Monday, when he said he would spend the night there so he could be at work early the next morning. He was trapped by the fire which was discovered an hour later. His body was recovered and identified at the morgue by Hugh Siegel and Tom Whittaker, coach of the M. A. C. swimming team.

Fitzgerald Preparing Home.
D. E. Fitzgerald, manager of the railroad department of the Pierce Oil Corporation, had come to St. Louis a week ago Monday, after a farewell banquet the night before, tendered by officials of the Frisco Railroad at Springfield, Mo. Fitzgerald had resigned as assistant general superintendent of motive power to accept the position with the Pierce Oil Corporation in St. Louis.

Both Fitzgerald and his wife received diamond rings as tokens of the esteem in which they were held by the Frisco officials. Fitzgerald had been with the system eight years. He formerly had been stationed in Topeka, Kan., where he was connected with the Santa Fe Railroad.

Mrs. Fitzgerald, her two sons, 16 and 18 years old, and one daughter, 19, are in Springfield. Fitzgerald was preparing a home for them in St. Louis. He was about 35 years old.

William E. Becker Worth \$200,000.
William E. Becker was president of the Becker-Moore Paint Co., and had lived at the club many years. He was 42 years old and by his business ability had, with a small capital at the start, built up one of the largest paint manufacturing industries in the city. His personal estate is rated at \$200,000.

He is survived by two sisters, Katherine Teacher and Miss Anna Becker, both of South Bend, Ind., a brother, Charles A. Becker, of the Becker-Moore Paint Co., an uncle, Edward Becker, of 3470 Cabanne avenue, who formerly owned the Cardinals baseball team. His business partner was Richard Moore of 3330 Bartlett avenue.

His death is the third in the family. Two brothers have been drowned several years ago. He was a member of the Club Bohemian Club and the St. Louis Paint, Oil and Drug Club. He began business 28 years ago as a salesman for the company he later headed.

A young woman about 30 years old appeared at the city hospital Monday afternoon and in a feeble voice she asked if William E. Becker was a patient there. When an attendant searched the records and told her no one by that name had been brought to the hospital, the young woman sobbed hysterically and swooned. She was revived and departed without giving her name.

William E. Erd a Realty Dealer.
William E. Erd was a lawyer and real estate dealer of 322 Missouri avenue, East St. Louis. He was a native of Waterloo, Ill., and son of Judge Erd of that city. He was educated in Washington University. He gave up the practice of law to enter the real estate business. He spent much of his time at the M. A. C. and was an ardent enthusiast in athletics of every kind.

Auditor of Lamp Brewery.
Thomas J. Wright was auditor of the Lamp Brewery. He was a bachelor, 50 years old, and had lived at the M. A. C. for eight or ten years. For 19 years he had been a member of the Apollo Club and sang with the first bass in the club's chorus. He was secretary of the club, and in respect to his memory, the club's regular Monday night meeting and rehearsal was canceled.

A married brother, William Wright, resided in Webster Groves. Wright did not appear at his place of business Monday morning, and by evening his friends and business associates had given up hope for his safety. He was to have left St. Louis at 8 a. m. Monday for Quincy, Ill., to audit the books of the company's plant in that city.

The Apollo Club members will attend his funeral in a body and will sing some of the songs that were dear to him. Linn Faine, M. E. Dwyer and Dr. Kuhlmann have been named by the club as a committee to draft resolutions in Wright's honor and arrange for the club's part in the funeral ceremonies.

Kessler Was Wire Co. Cashier.
Edwin C. Kessler was cashier of lived at the Hamilton Hotel. He had been a member of the M. A. C. about a year and had made it his home for the last 16 months. While living at the Hamilton Hotel, Kessler escaped from two fires that menaced the hostelry. He moved to the club, believing it would be more convenient to his business. He was killed when he jumped from the sixth floor. His body was identified at the morgue by friends.

J. W. McGuinness, 42 years old, was buyer and manager of the hosiery department of B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co., and came here from New York a year ago, where his wife, a son, 14 years old, and a daughter, 16, live at 192 Edgecomb avenue. He had no relatives in the west. He was born in Ireland. He was one of the most popular department heads at

Nugent's and was held in high esteem by the company. He was seen in the M. A. C. lobby at about 10:30 p. m. when he checked his valise and went out, saying he would register upon his return. Efforts of his cousin, W. E. Borders, who has offices in the Syndicate Trust Building, friends and Cashier Watson of the Bank of Sparta, to find Borders, have thus far

proved futile, and hope that he escaped has been abandoned.

Woman, 100 Years Old, Dies.
CHICAGO, March 10.—Mrs. Emma J. Lasco, who celebrated her 100th birthday last Wednesday, died yesterday. Mrs. Lasco was born in Glasgow, Scotland.

In 1814, and came here in 1834. Mrs. Lasco's mother died at Glasgow at the age of 100 years and her father was almost 100 years old when he died.

OUR Credit System makes it possible for every honest person to own and wear a diamond or a fine watch. Let's Bros. & Co., 24 floor, 208 N. 2d st.

We Must Have Money and Must Raise It Immediately—So Here Goes—Our \$100,000 Stock Must Go

If you have been here in the last two days and have seen the great bargains and the enthusiastic buying, tell your friends. Don't let them miss the extraordinary values. Come again tomorrow. Bigger bargains. If you have not been here, come.

\$12.50 SUITS
AT 9 A. M.
25 Suits in
fodder cases and
patterns; all
wool, satin-
lined coats, etc.
\$2.98

Penny Gentles
ESTABLISHED 1872
HICKORY ST. MORGAN ST. 111
ALL STREET CARS TRANSFER TO PENNY GENTLES

Men's 18c Collars
Four-day lin-
en Collars;
all sizes;
14, 15, 16, 17,
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86, 87, 88, 89,
90, 91, 92, 93,
94, 95, 96, 97,
98, 99, 100.
5c

\$25 New Spring Suits and Dresses
Suits—New two-piece tunic skirt with pretty new peau de cygne lined coats, with new Mandarin sleeves with lace-trimmed cuffs and sleeves; all shades in all-wool crepes and check materials; sizes for misses and women.
Dresses—New soft Silk Taffeta Dresses in all shades and black, with new ruffled tunic style, new kimono sleeves; white lace front down bodice for misses and women.
\$13.50

New Spring Coats
Serge and fancy cloth Spring Coat Samples at one-half price. Values at \$12.50, \$10, \$8, \$6, \$4, \$3, \$2, \$1.50, \$1, 75c, 50c, 25c, 10c, 5c.
\$3.98

All Suits and Coats Must Go
A lot of 50 Suits and 75 Coats—Values up to \$15; on sale Wednesday, 9 a. m.
\$5

75c Silk Foulards
In a sale of 1000 yards, beautiful designs, 28 inches wide and worth 75c; per yd. (Base-ment).
22c
(No phone or mail orders.)

High or Low Shoes, \$1.95
New Spring styles at less than factory cost. We can show you the greatest assortment of up-to-date styles in St. Louis at this price, in kid, dull calf and patent leathers; short vamps, high heels; Oxfords, Ribbon Ties and Colonial Pumps; hand-turned and welt-sewn soles; worth \$3.00 to \$5.00; special at...
\$1.95

\$1.00 Silk Messaline
36 inches wide; pure silk, rich, lustrous finish; splendid deep black; excellent for Spring suits, wraps, dresses, skirts, etc.; 10 to 11 a. m.
58c

\$2 & \$2.50 Lace Curtains
Including Brussels, Scotch and Madras weaves; 3 yards long, 50 inches wide; in white and ecru; sale price, a pair.
\$1.39

Extras
10c Gas Mantles; all per... 5c
25c Coffee Mill; grinds coarse or fine... 15c
50c Unbreakable Glass... 25c
10c Electric Art Glass Dining... \$1.98
15c Paint in many colors... 5c
\$1.00 Adjustable Curtain Stretch-ers... 49c
60c Washtubs... 29c
10c... 20c

Men's 39c Under-shirts
Cotton ribbed; fleece lined; all sizes.
15c

Men's \$1 Shirts
White pleated, stiff or plain bosom Shirts; some colored stripes; sizes 14, 15, 16, 17, 17½, 18, choice.
25c

Corset Covers
One lot of women's fine cambric Corset Covers; trimmed back and front with good, durable laces; 25c value, to close out at
10c

\$15.00 Tapestry Brussels Rugs
Size 9x12; a large selection of seamless, extra heavy, 9-wire, all-wool Brussels Rugs; choice floral, Oriental and Persian patterns; all colors; every one new and perfect; Wednesday, special.
\$8.75

GREY HAIRD FOLKS LOOK YOUNG AGAIN
Let Me Tell You How I Restored My Gray Hair to Natural Color and Beauty of Youth
Results in Four Days Without Dyes or Other Harmful Methods.
At 37 I was prematurely grey—and a failure because I looked old. Today I look younger than I did eight years ago. I restored my own grey hair to its natural color and beauty of youth and am a living example that grey hair need no longer be a sign of old age. No dangerous dye stains of other forms of hair paint are necessary to keep your hair young.

One trip via this fine train will convince you it's the premier train of America.
The entire equipment from Lounge Grill to baggage car is indestructible. Every detail of construction is solid, substantial steel.
Encased in these invulnerable shells are the famous luxuries and celebrated innovations that are exclusive, C. & E. I. features.

C. & E. I.
(Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railroad)
To Chicago
No extreme cold—no extreme heat.
Special attention is given to the heating of these steel palaces and an even temperature is maintained.
Leave St. Louis at 11:59 p. m.
Two other trains leave St. Louis at 9:04 a. m. and 9:03 p. m.

Perfectly harmless and Pleasurable
Blackburn's CascaRoyal-Pills
If not, your money back.
10c and 25c.

CUTTING NORTH SHORE DRESSES



Garland's
Announcing Special for Wednesday—the Sale We Have Been Promising You for Six Weeks or More—Our Advance Sale of

MAKING NORTH SHORE DRESSES



NORTH SHORE "MACHINE-MADE" DRESSES
at \$1.00 to \$4.95—No More

We expect this to be the greatest single day's selling we have ever had in moderately-priced Dresses. A sale that will solve the dressmaker bugaboo for hundreds of women.

It will provide prettier and better finished dresses at much less expense than you could possibly have made by a dressmaker, besides eliminating the worry and the hundred and one inconveniences home dressmaking is heir to.

Then, too, it gives you Dresses with more style and character than any dressmaker can produce.

Sketch shows five of the North Shore Dresses. There are over fifty styles in all.

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| In Five Lots | \$2.50 Dresses for \$1.00 | \$3.50 Dresses for \$1.98 | \$5.50 Dresses for \$2.98 | \$7.50 Dresses for \$3.98 | \$8.50 Dresses for \$4.95 |
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Dresses at \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98 and \$4.95

Are ideal Summer Dresses for street and home wear. Made of French percale, zephyr gingham and chambray. Some are combinations of checked or striped skirt with chambray coat and tunic. Trimmings are fine machine embroidery, crocheted buttons, French roses, Swiss embroidery and embroidered scallop edges. All sizes.

\$2.50 Dresses for \$1.00

These are made of ginghams in checks and stripes, figured percales and chambray in pink, blue and tan. Daintily trimmed with eyelet embroidery, embroidered edges, patterns, panels and buttons. All sizes.

Sale Starts at 8:30 in Our New Underpriced Annex—2d Floor
—THOMAS W. GARLAND—
409-411-413 Broadway

What's The Use Paying 10¢ When KITCHEN KLENZER Sells for 5¢



KITCHEN KLENZER
Look for the Name on Every Can

ATTENTION, TAXPAYERS
Office of the Assessment of the Revenue, City Hall, Market and Twelfth Streets, Rooms 114, 115, 117.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 9th, 1914
The assessment books for the year 1914 are now open for inspection. Taxpayers are requested to call at this office and examine their assessments. The Board of Equalization will meet in this office on Monday, the 16th day of March, 1914, and will remain in session for four (4) weeks if the business before it requires it, and no longer. All appeals against assessments must be made in writing and sworn to. Blank forms can be procured at this office.
FRANK W. SCHRAMM,
President Board of Assessors.

Low Fares South
Via LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R. R.
March 3 and 17, April 7 and 21

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| New Orleans, La. | \$23.75 | Ft. Myers, Fla. | \$31.45 |
| Biloxi, Miss. | 22.00 | Kissimmee, Fla. | 31.45 |
| Gulfport, Miss. | 22.00 | Miami, Fla. | 38.30 |
| Pass Christian, Miss. | 22.30 | New Smyrna, Fla. | 31.05 |
| Mobile, Ala. | 20.85 | Orlando, Fla. | 31.45 |
| Bay Minette, Ala. | 20.85 | Palm Beach, Fla. | 31.45 |
| Evergreen, Ala. | 20.85 | Pensacola, Fla. | 20.85 |
| Greenville, Ala. | 20.40 | St. Augustine, Fla. | 28.40 |
| Montgomery, Ala. | 19.10 | St. Petersburg, Fla. | 31.45 |
| Foley, Ala. | 20.85 | Tampa, Fla. | 31.45 |
| De Funiak Spgs., Fla. | 24.25 | West Palm Beach, Fla. | 36.25 |
| Marianna, Fla. | 24.25 | Sunford, Fla. | 31.15 |
| Panama City, Fla. | 25.40 | Hilliard, Fla. | 26.50 |
| Port St. Joe, Fla. | 27.90 | Gainesville, Fla. | 29.30 |
| Ocala, Fla. | 31.45 | Brooksville, Fla. | 31.45 |
| Fort Pierce, Fla. | 34.55 | Sarasota, Fla. | 31.45 |
| Bradenton, Fla. | 31.45 | | |

Proportionately Low Rates to Many Other Points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Tennessee and Mississippi
25 Days Return Limit, Liberal Stop-Over Privileges
CITY TICKET OFFICE
312 North 8th Street Phone (Olive 3800) (East 5000)

POST-DISPATCH
Circulation **329,126**
last Sunday

PA WANTS A BOY, GETS 2

DENVER, Colo., March 10.—Hyman Schuster, a tailor, is the father of two boys and a girl today, and Dr. William Drechsler has the satisfaction of having brought joy in unadvised measure to the Schuster family.

While the stork was hovering over the Schuster home, the father wished for a boy while the mother desired a girl.

New Spring Styles in Women's Low Shoes At a Very Special Price



WE want to acquaint thousands of St. Louisans with our new Bargain Room and with the wonderful values it provides in high-grade Footwear at moderate prices. And as a special inducement for you to visit it Wednesday, we offer a splendid line of newest spring fashions in women's low shoes—complete range of sizes—at an extremely low price—pair,

\$2.45

Among the various styles you will find Baby Doll Pumps in patent and dull leathers. Mary Jane Pumps in patent and dull leathers. Colonial Pumps in patent and dull leathers. Two-Strap Pumps and Oxfords.

SHOE MART
"THE PLACE TO BUY SHOES"
507 Washington Ave.

St. Louis
Kansas City

Kline's

Detroit
Cincinnati

509 Washington Ave., Near Broadway

The Fashion-Show

The last word from Paris—as well as the choicest of American modes—are shown in lavish assortment in this Spring Opening Display and Sale

The New Silk Suits

OVER 25 distinct and beautiful models in silk suits are ready for your selection at \$24.75, \$27.50, \$29.75 and up to \$125.00—exquisite effects in rich moire, faille, bengaline and barathra silks—in a wealth of new colorings, including blacks—many are exact reproductions of original models that would sell for many times the prices we ask.

Special—Silk Suits

\$22.50
At

THESE Suits are exact copies of higher-priced models—and so faithfully have they been reproduced, that you can scarcely distinguish them from the originals—these are made of fine faille and moire silk in beautiful embroidered and lace-trimmed effects.

The illustration shows a handsome crepe poplin suit we offer at \$22.50.

Spring Cloth Suits

Over 2500 beautiful new Spring Suits—at prices ranging from \$16.50 to \$85.00—await you at this great Specialty Store

At this price we can show you over 1000 suits—one prettier than the other—made to our special order by the best Suit Specialists in the East—and shown in all the new all-wool Spring suitings and in the very latest colorings.

Afternoon Dresses

THESE are not \$18.75 dresses, but are on sale at only one day at that price—18 charming styles in rich faille, silks, crepe de chine, crepe meteor, Pussy Willow, flowered crepe, etc.—some of the models are in light pastel shades for evening wear.

New Spring Blouses

Almost our entire First Floor is devoted to this showing of waists at \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98 and up to \$45.00.

HERE are Waists for every occasion—everything from the simple little Blouse of washable voile and crepe to the most elaborate creations in silks, chiffons and laces.

Special—Spring Blouses

THESE Waists are copies of higher-priced models—and are made of voile, crepes and embroidered effects—daintily trimmed with pin tucks, laces, etc.—and reflect the newest collar and sleeve effects now so popular in the East.

SEPARATE SKIRTS

WE are showing beautiful Skirts of novelty cloth fabrics at \$5.00 and up to \$20.00—rich effects in Silk Skirts at \$9.90 to \$35.00.

Last Call—Winter Coats

THIS includes all that's left of our Winter Coats in seal plushes, Ural Lamb and boucle—fully silk lined—small sizes only—just 130 coats in the lot—values up to \$35.00—on sale tomorrow as long as they last in two lots at... **\$5.00 and \$7.50**

PATROLMAN SUSPENDED

Patrolman Edward Toomey of the Newstead Avenue District was suspended Tuesday morning on a charge of intoxication as an indirect result of the M. A. C. fire. He was on duty at the fire line from 11 p. m. Monday until 1 a. m. Tuesday.

Lung Trouble Yielded to This Medicine

If you are suffering with Lung Trouble, or if you know of some unfortunate person so afflicted, would you take the trouble of fully investigating a medicine which has brought about complete recovery in a number of very serious cases? To Eckman's Alternative, a remedy for Throat and Lung Troubles, has been the fullest credit of restoring health in a large number of cases. Read this:

"Gentlemen: In the winter of 1901 I had an attack of Grippe, followed by a severe cold and later by Lung Trouble. In the winter of 1901 I had cough, night sweats, fever and lost weight. I was a very weak-looking man, and later I had many hemorrhages at one time three in three successive days. My lungs were so diseased that I could keep nothing down. Three physicians treated me. I was ordered to take cod liver oil, but I could not take it. After taking a small quantity I had the first coughing fit for weeks. My improvement was marked from the first. I gained strength and weight and appetite. I never had another hemorrhage and my cough gradually lessened until entirely gone. I am perfectly well."

(Address: ANNIE F. LOUGHRAN, (Address abbreviated; more on request). Eckman's Alternative has been proven by many years' use to be most efficacious for severe Throat and Lung Affections. Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, Subacute Colds and in upbuilding the system. Contains no drugs. Sold by Babo-teau Drug Co., 515 Olive St., St. Louis. Write the Eckman Laboratories, Philadelphia, Pa., for booklet telling of recoveries and additional evidence.

\$500 DONATED TO RELIEF FUND AT MT. ST. ROSE DINNER

Gift Voted to Needy Dependents of Victims in the M. A. C. Fire.

Archbishop John J. Glennon opened his address at a dinner Monday night inaugurating a campaign to raise \$500,000 in eight days for Mount St. Rose Hospital with a sympathetic reference to the M. A. C. fire. The 462 men and women at the banquet in the Planters Hotel had a few minutes previously voted the first \$500 collected to help the needy dependents of the victims.

"A very sad tragedy has been enacted through some unforeseen cause," said the Archbishop. "The tragedy of fire and death has been written in this district, the fire coming up and lives going out while the fire god raged. This is deserving our tears and our sympathy. These lives that have gone out in such startling suddenness naturally appeal to our sympathy."

"While this tragedy stands out before us, there is, paralleling the death by fire, a similar tragedy, not so lurid but more fatal in its results. It is the tragedy of these poor lives that are being crushed out by this enemy of humanity, tuberculosis."

Many Near Death in Tenements. "All around where the M. A. C. stood, are tenements across of them, streets of them and in these tenements are lives now that are preparing for the snuffing out, tiny hands reaching out, faces becoming more pinched, little souls shriveled and crushed. It is those who are appealing to us tonight. It is that we may take these little ones and bring them back to health and life and hope again that Mount St. Rose proposes to build an addition to the hospital in South St. Louis where these little ones can be gathered and the breath of life breathed back again under the care of physicians who know their ailments and who can help them."

"It is the cry of the little children crying in the night of their sorrow, the children with no answer to their cry, unless we answer and bring them back to health and hope."

Philip C. Scanlan offered the following resolution at the opening of the banquet:

"This body of men and women, organized to promote the conservation of human life by raising a fund sufficient to enlarge and otherwise improve Mount St. Rose Hospital, does hereby record its profound sympathy for the loved ones of those fellow St. Louisans who perished by fire in the early hours of this morning."

\$500 Donated for Relief. The resolution was unanimously adopted with an amendment offered by Ben Altshuler setting aside the first \$500 for fire relief.

Other who spoke at the banquet were: Mrs. J. L. D. Morrison, chairman of the women's committee; Dr. Nichols, Rabbin Samuel Sale, James A. Waterworth, Festus J. Wade, James Gray Butler, Dr. Walter Fischel and Fred D. Gardner. Although the formal canvass was scheduled to begin Tuesday, the teams reported preliminary subscriptions totaling \$387.25. Archbishop Glennon presented two high-secre banners, one to Mrs. Morrison, who had reported \$500, and the other to Martin Shanagheeny, whose report totaled \$425.50.

GOOD NEWS: Harry got the diamond ring credit at Lettis House and did not get N. N. St. We'll be married in the spring.

\$1,000,000 FRAUD IN LOTTERY IS ALLEGED

HAVANA, March 10.—President Menocal of the Cuban republic and his Cabinet have decided to send a message to the Cuban Congress asking for the abolishment of the Cuban national lottery.

It is charged that more than \$1,000,000 of fraud was shown in the lottery by the report of a commission. The allegation was made that a former Secretary of the Treasury received two high-secre banners, one to Mrs. Morrison, who had reported \$500, and the other to Martin Shanagheeny, whose report totaled \$425.50.

The Cabinet and the President ask that, if the lottery be not abolished, the Legislature lessen some of its evil effects.

Crabby Stockholders. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Granby Mining and Smelting Co. for the election of five directors to serve for the ensuing year, and to vote to extend the corporate existence of the company for a period of 30 years, was held at the offices of the company in the Third National Bank Building from 9 to 12 o'clock Tuesday.

Nineteen thousand six hundred eighty-four shares of a capital stock of 20,000 shares voted unanimously authorizing the officers to take all necessary action to extend the corporate existence, and for the following five directors: Norb B. Gregg, J. H. Grover, H. O. Edmonds, Kennett Burnes, Elias S. Gatch.

Victory for Spanish Premier. MADRID, March 10.—Eduardo Dato, the Spanish Premier, won a sweeping victory in the general elections. He will continue to hold office with a majority in the Chamber of Deputies, over all possible combinations.

The Real Tango Champion. Tango contest at Dreamland tonight.

Highwayman Rob Woman of \$6. Mrs. Lena Nudelman of 1323 North Thirteenth street Tuesday reported to the police that she was robbed of her purse containing \$6 and a pair of gloves by a highwayman who accosted her on High street, between Wash and Carr streets, at 10 p. m. Monday.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

THIN FOR YEARS—

"Gains 22 Pounds in 23 Days"



"I was all run down to the very bottom, writes F. Gagnon. 'I had to quit work I was so weak. Now, thanks to Sargol, I look like a new man. I gained 22 pounds in 23 days.'"

"Sargol has put just 10 pounds on me in 14 days," states W. D. Roberts. "It has made me sleep well, enjoy what I ate and enabled me to work with interest and pleasure."

"I weighed 132-pounds when I commenced taking Sargol. After taking it 20 days I weighed 144 pounds. Sargol is the most wonderful preparation for flesh building I have ever seen," declares D. Martin, and J. Meier adds: "For the past twenty years I have taken medicine every day for indigestion and got thinner every year. I took Sargol for forty days and feel better than I have felt in twenty years. My weight has increased from 150 to 170 pounds."

When hundreds of men and women—and there are hundreds, with more coming every day—living in every nook and corner of this broad land voluntarily testify to weight increases ranging all the way from 10 to 35 pounds given them by Sargol, you must admit, Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Thin Reader, that there must be something in this Sargol method of flesh building after all.

Hadn't you better look into it, just as thousands of others have done? Many thin folks say: "I'd give most anything to put on a little extra weight," but when some one suggests a way they exclaim, "Not a chance. Nothing will make me plump. I'm built to stay thin." Until you have tried Sargol, you do not and can not know that this is true.

Sargol has put pounds of healthy "stay-there" flesh on hundreds who doubted, and in spite of their doubts. You don't have to believe in Sargol to grow plump from its use. You just take it and watch weight pile up, hollows vanish and your figure round out to pleasing normal proportions. You weigh yourself when you begin and again when you finish and you let the scales tell the story.

Sargol is absolutely harmless. It is a tiny concentrated tablet. You take one with every meal. It mixes with the food you eat for the purpose of separating all of its flesh-producing ingredients. It prepares these fat-making elements in an easily assimilated form, which the blood can readily absorb and carry all over your body. Plump, well-developed persons don't need Sargol to produce this result. Their assimilative machinery performs its functions without aid. But thin folks' assimilative organs do not. This fatty portion of their food now goes to waste through their bodies like unburned coal through an open grate. A few days' test of Sargol in your case will surely prove whether or not this is true of you. Isn't it worth trying?

If you want a beautiful and well-proportioned figure of symmetrical proportions, if you want to gain some solid pounds of healthy stay-there flesh, if you want to increase your weight to normal, weigh what you should weigh, go straight to your druggist today and get a trial package of Sargol and use it as directed. Sargol will either increase your weight or it won't, and the only way to know is to try it. A single package of Sargol easily enables you to make this test. Sixty days' use of Sargol according to directions, is absolutely guaranteed to increase your weight to a satisfactory degree or your druggist will refund your money you have paid him for it. Get your trial package today from any of the following druggists:

Judge & Dolph Drug Co., 515 Olive St., 7th and Locust Sts.; Welpert Drug Co., 9th and Pine Sts.; Raboteau, Broadway and Washington Av.; Johnson Bros., 7th and St. Charles Sts., Broadway and Franklin Av.; Wolff-Wilson, 6th and Washington Av., or any leading druggist in St. Louis or vicinity.

An Easy Way to Get Fat and Be Strong

The trouble with most thin folks who wish to gain weight is that they have no digestive organs or stuffing it with greasy foods; rubbing on useless cream, or using cod liver oil, while the real cause of thinness and weakness cannot get fat until your digestive tract assimilates the food you eat. That's the secret. Thanks to a remarkable new scientific discovery, it is now possible to combine into simple form the very elements needed for the digestive organs to help them convert food into rich, fat-laden blood. The master-scientist of modern chemistry, called Sargol and has been termed the greatest of flesh-builders. Sargol acts through its regenerative, reconstructive powers to coax the stomach and intestines to literally soak up the fat-making elements of your food and pass them into the blood, where they are carried to every starved, broken-down cell and tissue of your body. You can readily picture the result of this amazing transformation. It has taken black and you notice how your cheeks fill out, hollows about your neck, shoulders and bust disappear, and you take on from 10 to 20 pounds of solid, healthy flesh. Sargol is absolutely harmless, and is efficient. Judge & Dolph Drug Co., 515 Olive St., 7th and Locust Sts.; Welpert Drug Co., 9th and Pine Sts.; Raboteau, Broadway and Washington Av.; Johnson Bros., 7th and St. Charles Sts., Broadway and Franklin Av.; Wolff-Wilson, 6th and Washington Av., or any leading druggist in St. Louis or vicinity. Sargol will refund your money if you do not gain 10 pounds or more.—ADV.

How Thin People Can Put on Flesh

A New Discovery. Thin men and women—that is, heavy, flimsy, thin people who are last night what became of all the fat-producing machinery of your body? You haven't lost it, and you haven't lost it. That food passed from your body like unburned coal, and the plain truth is you haven't got enough nourishment from your meals to build up your body. This is true of this Sargol. The secret of this new discovery is in the functions of assimilation, are active out of fear and need reconstructive powers. Cut out the foolish, foods and funny mixtures with your food and let Sargol do its work. Cut out everything but the meat and fat. Sargol is a tiny concentrated tablet. In two weeks you will see the difference. In four weeks you will see the difference. In eight weeks you will see the difference. In twelve weeks you will see the difference. In sixteen weeks you will see the difference. In twenty weeks you will see the difference. In twenty-four weeks you will see the difference. 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LOTS OF BEAUTIFUL, GLOSSY HAIR, NO DANDRUFF—25 CENT "DANDERINE"

Hair coming out?—If dry, thin or your scalp itches, and is full of dandruff—Use "Danderine"—No disappointment.

Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or a loose or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you will actually see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine will immediately double the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small

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Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove to yourself tonight—now—that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—your hair can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.—ADV.

BANKER, GUILTY, EVADES PRISON FOR 900 DAYS

W. J. Cummins Taken to Sing Sing Three Years After Conviction for Larceny.

NEW YORK, March 10.—William J. Cummins, one time head of the defunct Carnegie Trust Co., who was convicted nearly three years ago of the larceny of \$140,000, was taken to Sing Sing prison from the Tombs today to serve out a sentence of not less than four years and eight months and not more than eight years and eight months.

By reason of appeals and other moves, counsel for Cummins kept him out of Sing Sing for 900 days after his conviction.

Cummins will now appeal to Gov. Glynn for a pardon on the ground that he rendered assistance to the State in the hearings regarding the trust company.

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W. C. M'BRIDE TAX ASSESSMENT RAISED TO \$50,000

Oil Man, Through His Secretary, Made Personal Returns on \$1695.

W. C. McBride, a rich oil man, who lives at 29 Washington terrace, will have to pay taxes on \$50,000 personal property instead of \$1695, the figure given in his last return by his secretary, E. R. Christian, unless he convinces the St. Louis Board of Equalization to the contrary when it meets at the city hall next Monday, it was learned Tuesday.

McBride recently donated to the new Catholic Cathedral \$100,000 for an altar. His daughter recently was married to a United States Army Lieutenant, and received a gift from her father of \$50,000 worth of Santa Fe bonds. The couple are now on their honeymoon in Honolulu.

McBride, instead of making his personal tax return by filing an affidavit, according to law, filed through his secretary, giving the total value of his personal property at \$1695. Among the items listed are "household goods," \$25; a watch, \$5; a piano, \$50; paintings, \$50; musical instruments, \$10, and five vehicles, \$1000.

The Board of Equalization, it was learned, considers McBride has made no return. It has assessed his personal property at \$50,000, and has doubled this amount, making it \$100,000, under the law allowing such procedure when a property owner fails to make return during the first week in January. McBride has been notified of the board's action, which will stand unless he appears to convince the members the assessment is unjust.

Frank W. Schramm, chairman of the board, has established a rule that saloon owners desiring licenses must make return on personal property assessed at least \$200. Heretofore the returns made by 55 per cent of the saloon owners have averaged less than \$100, he said. Under the new rule, Schramm declares, the assessed value of personal property in St. Louis will be increased \$200,000.

CHARGES AGAINST JUDGE D. T. WRIGHT DISMISSED

House Judiciary Committee Decides Banker's Allegations Are "Unsubstantiated."

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Charges by C. H. Cooper, a local banker, against Justice D. T. Wright of the District Supreme Court, asking for his impeachment, were dismissed today by the House Judiciary Committee as "unsubstantiated."

Justice Wright attracted national attention when he sentenced Samuel Gompers, Frank Morrison and John Mitchell to jail for contempt of court in the Buick's Stove and Range case. Although Cooper's petition charges the Justice with various acts of misconduct on the bench and in private life, the articles in the labor case was one of the articles on which his impeachment was asked. Justice Wright maintained that Cooper's charges were actuated by animus growing out of private litigation between them.

C. W. POST OPERATED ON

Condition Favorable After Trip in Special Train.

ROCHESTER, Minn., March 10.—C. W. Post of Battle Creek, Mich., who was rushed to this city aboard a special train from Los Angeles, Cal., for surgical treatment, today submitted to a major operation.

Although no official report was issued as to his condition, it was understood it was considered favorable.

Society

MRS. ELLA HAYNES LAUGHLIN who has been in Hot Springs, Ark., since December is expected to return March 20 when she will be the guest of her son, Randolph Laughlin, and Mrs. Laughlin at Loch-In on the Lackland road.

Mrs. J. D. Perry Francis of 4510 Maryland avenue, accompanied by her little niece, Miss Elizabeth Smith, daughter of Dr. Elsworth Smith, departed Saturday for San Antonio, Tex., to visit her sister, Mrs. William D. Crosby, and Maj. Crosby, who are stationed at Fort Sam Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor Campbell of 14 North King's highway, are entertaining Mrs. Campbell's mother, Mrs. St. John Boyle, of Louisville, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Medill of 1410 Lindell boulevard and their daughter, Miss Selma Medill, will depart for Florida, Tuesday, to remain until spring.

Mrs. Charles Pope O'Fallon of 7 Westmoreland place and her daughter, Miss Elizabeth O'Fallon, have returned from Panama, where they went with a party of Memphis friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Newton McDowell have returned from their wedding trip in the East and are stopping with Mrs. McDowell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore F. Meyer of 4800 Lindell boulevard.

Mrs. William C. McBride of 29 Washington terrace will sail April 2 on the Korea or Transoceanic to visit her daughter, Mrs. Birch Oliver Mahaffey, and Capt. Mahaffey of the Ordnance Department, U. S. A. Mrs. Mahaffey was Miss Laura McBride, whose wedding was one of the notable affairs of last spring.

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The Most Extraordinary Values in

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Extreme Values at

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EXCELLENT Dresses of Crepe de Chine, Crepe Meteor, Flowered Crepe, Crinkle Crepe, Chiffon Taffeta.

The models are adaptations of the newest Paris creations and embrace every late style feature—minaret, tier, flounce, new draped skirt, Medici collar effects.

These dresses come in black, navy, Copenhagen, new blue, wistaria, brown, leather, gold, reseda, bottle green, tango, taupe, gray and changeable effects. The cleverest styles and best values that you will find at these remarkably low prices—\$14.95 and \$16.75.

A Magnificent Display of Spring Dresses

A collection of 500 Dresses, including the creations of the most noted European and American designers and adaptations—\$19.75, \$24.75 and \$29.50.

Extra Special for Wednesday

300 New Dresses of Crepe de Chine, Flowered Crepes, Taffetas and Mesalines—all sizes for women and misses—on special sale Wednesday at

\$7.95 and \$9.95

More New Spring Styles

In Clever, Dressy and Tailored Suits have arrived to augment the line at \$19.14.

OUR presentation of clever Suit modes at \$19.14 is incomparable—there are more than sixty exclusive and distinctive styles from which to make your selection. The models are copied from the most effective Suit creations of the world and they are made up of high-grade materials. Through the co-operation of twenty prominent makers and by sacrificing part of our own profits, we are able to offer values that you will recognize as being far greater than the price. There are splendid models for both women and misses. Choice, \$19.14.

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Individual Styles at \$29.75 to \$95.00

We are showing a number of very clever Wool Suits, copies of imported models from the best makers in New York, at \$28.75, \$29.75, \$35.00 and up to \$55.00.

Superb Styles and Qualities in Dressy and Tailored Suits

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It is really surprising to note how much style and quality we are able to offer at these extremely low prices. Materials are all wool, linings are guaranteed silk, and the tailoring is of splendid quality. They are values of unusual character.

A special sale Wednesday of Balmacaan Coats—Priestley cravenette (look for the label)—priced..... **\$10.75**

20 Clever Models in New Skirts

Including the three-tier, tunic, ruffle and peg-top effects—copies of high-priced creations—made of crinkle crepes, plaid serges, wool plaids, granite cloths and Roman stripes—very special values at..... **\$4.95**



This Suit, \$19.14.

New Tango Blouses at \$1.00
Another shipment of those beautiful Tango Blouses will go on sale tomorrow. There are more than 100 different models in voile and lingerie. We know that you will pronounce them exceedingly good values at this special price **\$1.00**

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NO PAIN, DELAY or BANDAGES
All other facial defects corrected, such as Red Nose, Warts, Blemishes, Black Spots, Runny Nose, Yellow Checks, Loose Skin, Frown, Sagging Cheeks, Large Lips, Wrinkles, Haggard Eyes, Bright Mouth, Pimples, All Skin. Call, write or phone DR. FINKSTAFF, Specialist for the Face, 183 Second St., St. Louis, Mo. 10 to 12 daily; Sunday 10 to 12.
During the year 1913 the Post-Dispatch printed 211,115 Business Opportunity "Wants"—25% more than the Globe-Democrat, Republic and Times combined, and more than four times the number printed by the Times and Star combined.

Dry Catarrh, Cold in Head, Sneezing, Stopped Up Nose

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KONDON'S Original and Genuine Catarrh Jelly does all this quick. We can prove it. We have thousands of unsolicited testimonials written us by grateful users in the past twenty-two years. Go to any drug store, get a small tube of Kondon's (don't take a substitute), you will receive more benefit than from any like remedy ever used—you to be the judge. Money refunded, if wanted, and no quibbling. Kondon's melts and penetrates when placed in the nostrils. It be-

gins to do good instantly. It touches the sore spots, heals the raw places, removes the scabs, makes life worth living.

Use Kondon's tonight at bedtime. You will breathe through your nose, rest well and feel fine in the morning. Get a 25-cent tube today or send us 10 cents for a generous size physician's sample and book on how to treat catarrh and colds.

Sixteen million tubes have been sold; not one hundred users have asked for money back. The proof is \$5.00-100 per cent in our favor. Don't delay, write now to Kondon Manufacturing Company, Minneapolis, Minn.—Advertisement.

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GRAND RUSH FOR THE CLOSING OF OUR "FACTORY REMOVAL PIANO SALE." GREATEST SALE EVER HELD BECAUSE OF THE TREMENDOUS CUT PRICES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The price tags have been torn off of every remaining piano and player-piano in the house and every salesman is instructed to refuse no reasonable offer for any instrument.

Make arrangements to come in at once and select your piano. Don't wait any longer. Prices can never be lower than now, and terms and conditions so favorable.

HAVE ANY (NEW OR USED) PIANO OR PLAYER-PIANO SENT TO YOUR HOME FOR THIRTY DAYS' FREE TRIAL. IF YOU DECIDE TO KEEP IT, PAY AS YOU CAN. COME EARLY AND GET FIRST CHOICE

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Use Fels-Naptha Soap and stop worrying about the weekly washing. It's



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Mrs. Justwed—"Oh, I am so unhappy! This morning I was so tired and discouraged with the washing I had to do that I hit my temper and spoke grossly to John. I never would have done it if it hadn't been for that horrid old washing!"

Anty Drudge—"Never mind, child. Never worry over what is done, but make up your mind not to do it again. There is no need for you to lose your temper over your washing. You could have it all done and out on the line before noon, and be ready and bright for John when he comes home to dinner, if you would only use Fels-Naptha Soap. That is the only way to wash, anyhow."

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If you are bothered with backache or rheumatism, have disagreeable, annoying bladder disorders to contend with—or suffer with any other of the many miseries that come from weak kidneys, here is a guaranteed remedy you can depend upon, no matter what else may have failed to cure you.

It is a positive fact that the new discovery, Croxone, promptly overcomes such diseases. It is the most wonderful remedy ever made for ridding the system of uric acid, removing the cause and curing the troubles. It works right in and cleans out the clogged up kidneys and makes them filter and sift out all the poisonous waste matter from the blood. It neutralizes and dissolves the uric

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PLAYGOERS' GUIDE

George Arliss in "Disraeli" Olympic. Strong and keenly dramatic historical play. Mr. Arliss presents a breathing portrait of its great central character. Supporting company competent.

Weber and Fields and all-star company. Shubert. Specialty bill, closing with "Mike and Meyer's Trip Abroad." Its features are in the main, but furnishing much laughter-provoking entertainment.

"The Spendthrift" American. Strong emotional drama of domestic unhappiness caused by a wife's passion for costly attire and luxurious living.

Vaudeville. Columbia. Bill headed by Valenka Suratt and company in "Black Crepe and Diamonds."

Vaudeville. Hippodrome. Bill headed by Howard and Fields' Dining Car Minstrels in comedy with music.

Vaudeville. Grand. Bill headed by the Mad Gypsy Princesses and Her Eight Lions.

The Beauty Parade. Standard. Burlesque and vaudeville.

The Happy Maids. Gayety. Burlesque and vaudeville.

"DISRAELI" IS A VITAL PLAY AND VITALLY PLAYED

George Arliss Lifelike in Great Title Role of Louis N. Parker's Powerful Drama.

By RIPLEY D. SAUNDERS. WHEN a figure grown so lofty in historic stature, yet still so intimately remembered in its flesh-and-blood aspect, as that of Benjamin Disraeli is sought to be presented on the stage, the player essaying the part confronts one of the most peculiar perils attendant upon the exercise of his calling.

He must at one and the same time encompass the heroic and the prosaic, the former born of Time's justice-compelling perspective, the latter of that defect in close-range contemporaneous vision which almost invariably leads us to deny greatness to the great of our own day.

George Arliss finely dares and dispels this peril in his playing of the title role in Louis N. Parker's vivid drama, "Disraeli," which began its engagement at the Olympic Theater on Monday evening and which first I reviewed for the Post-Dispatch readers when it was in the dawn-period of its long run at Wallack's Theater in New York City more than two years ago.

He enables us to see the Titan vastness of Lord Beaconsfield in history and, as well, the picturesque Benjamin Disraeli of life's own knowing. The result is a vitally human stage portrait, amazingly truthful in realism and idealism alike, as all faithful portraits needs must be.

The Disraeli thus drawn becomes all the more impressive because of this blend of the real and the ideal in its drawing. Lacking the idealistic touch, he would be merely the "Dizzy" of Funch's cartoonists. Lacking the realistic touch, he would be merely a made-to-order demigod. Possessing both, he is truly that splendid Jew who, as Prime Minister of England, accomplished more for England's glory and power than did any other Englishman of his generation.

But this notable achievement by Mr. Arliss must not be credited exclusively to his own mastery of the player's art, complete though that mastery is in its present revelation. Playwright Parker has so conceived and so shaped the story of "Disraeli" as to project its central character into the spotlight with compelling force and to present its several phases of distinctive individuality so clearly before one's actual vision that it stands out in a startling lifelikeness never to be forgotten. What Mr. Arliss does—and he does it commandingly—is to grasp this uncommon opportunity and utilize it to the utmost at every moment of the play's progress, seeming actually to "live" the part from the rise of the first to the fall of the last curtain.

One is made to realize as never before when one follows the course of the fierce and secret diplomatic battle between England and Russia for that control of the Suez Canal which carries with it the future control of India, the all-absorbing potency of Disraeli's mighty dream of imperial power for the nation whose destinies he directed with what the English themselves considered as an alien hand.

At the same time, owing to the keen fidelity imparted to the character under treatment, one perceives the incorrigible "posing" of Disraeli, the essential theatricalism that led him never to overlook the spectacular possibilities of his great strokes of triumphant statecraft, invariably accompanied by someone "grandstand" play that indelibly impressed the splendor of his achievement upon the popular mind.

Coincidentally one sees, in what may be called the "drawing-room" manner of that astounding genius, the somewhat wistful humor with which Disraeli confronted and ultimately overcame the race-prejudice that for so long a time dimmed the brilliancy of his public service in English eyes.

Side by side with these illuminating developments one is brought face to face with that tenderest aspect of Disraeli, which is created by the truth of his deeply solicitous and protective love for his wife, the patriotic Englishwoman whom, all England once charged, he had married for her money.

And, finally, in the unflinching interest with which he fosters and brings to his happy culmination the pretty romance between the beautiful Lady Clarissa Pevensey and the young Viscount Desmond, whom, virtually, he adopts into his whimsical affections, one gets an enlightening glimpse of Disraeli, the sentimentalist, author of "Lothair" and "Vivian Grey," as confirmed a match-maker as ever lived to laugh at his own indulgence in the softer emotions.

Now, you must agree, a play that thus so breathingly reincarnates a historic figure of such exceedingly human qualities, both great and little, is itself a surpassingly vital human document. Add to the value of the play the incredibly faithful Disraeli of George Arliss picturing a Disraeli who looks as though he might have just emerged upon the stage from his own official office in Downing street as a still living Disraeli of England's knowing—and you have truly big drama indeed, the drama which is so close to life that it breathes the same air and pulses with the same blood as our own mortality.

It is precisely this quality of drama which now, thanks to Playwright Parker and to Player Arliss, is encountered in the "Disraeli" of their joint creation. One comes away from its seeing with the feeling that one has been in the presence of Disraeli himself and, amazing within touch of one's hand, an immortal historic figure in the most salient phases of the astonishing career from which this immortality was born.

The work of the supporting company as a whole was excellent.

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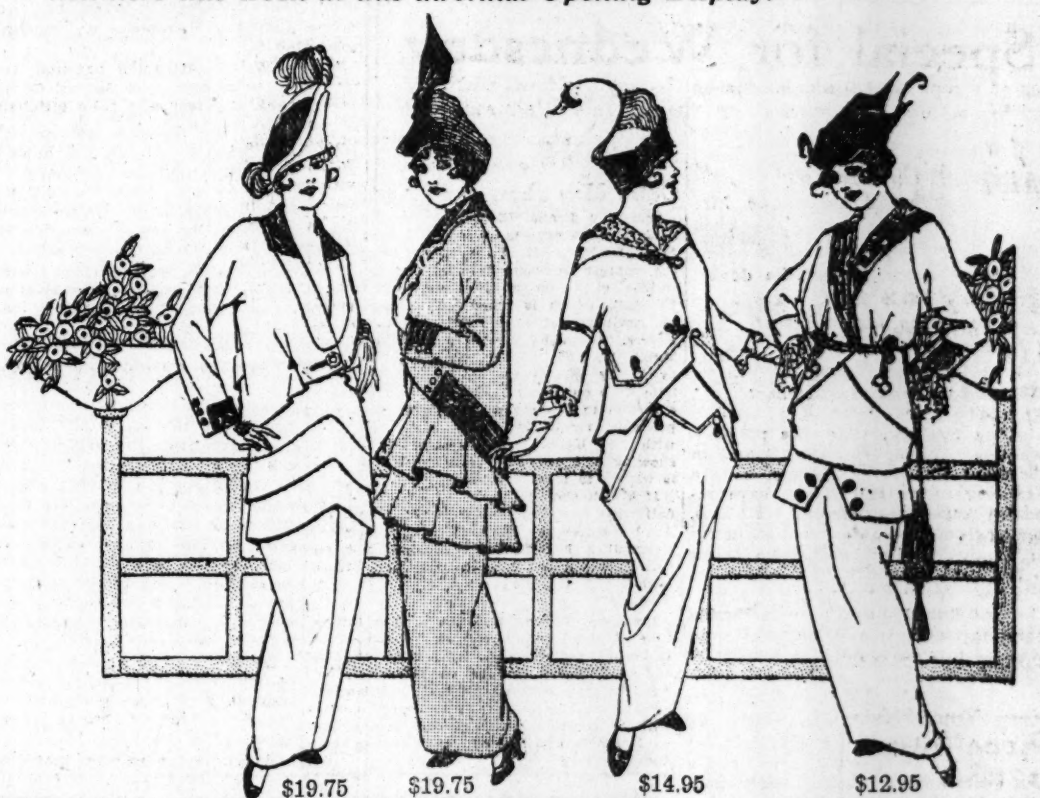
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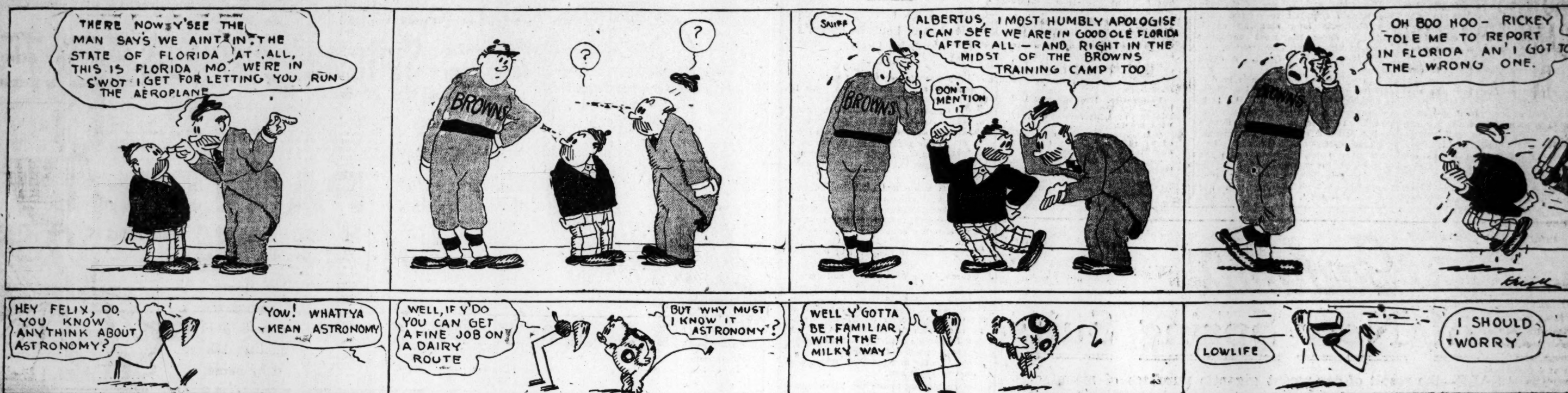
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Killefer Must Either Wear a Federal Suit or Have One Filed Against Him

MR. SHORT SPORT: These Browns don't even have to be in a ball game to make errors. By Jean Knott



DEL DRAKE ONLY MEMBER MISSING FROM FED SQUAD

Miner Brown's Outlaws Assemble Here for Departure South Tonight.

TWO MORE FED TEAMS ANNOUNCE LINE-UPS

The Indianapolis and Buffalo (Federal League) clubs Monday announced their lineups for the coming season, disclosing the fact that Russ Ford, Kahler, Earl Moore and Tom Downey will be with the Browns, while V. Campbell, Falkenberg, Hardin, Edmond and McKee will be with the Hoosiers. The lineups: **INDIANAPOLIS.** — Catchers: — Hardin (Boston), Tatter (Indianapolis) Fed. Pitchers: — Falkenberg (Napa), Mullin (Tigers), Mosley (Red Sox), Harter (Reds), Kalserting and Billard (Indianapolis) Fed. Infielders: — McKee (Tennessee), Edmond (Reds) and Dolan, Rooney and Vandergift (Indianapolis) Fed. Outfielders: — V. Campbell (Browns), Boos (Pirates), Knaff (Yankees), Kaser (Indianapolis) Fed., Rausch (Reds), Ehar (Dodgers) and Potts, Adams and Weeden (Indianapolis) Fed. **BUFFALO.** — Catchers: — Hardin (Boston), Allen (White Sox), Lavigne (Browns). Pitchers: — Knapp and Falkenberg (Napa), Ford (Yankees), Moore (Cubs), Anderson (Red Sox) and Purdy, Brown, Moran and Hauser, semi-pro. Infielders: — Downey (Baltimore), Agler (Jersey City), Louder (Tigers), Smith (Browns). Outfielders: — Bonin (ex-Browns), Pettigrew (Atlanta), F. Delahanty (Minnesota) and Young, semi-pro.

With the arrival today of Al Bridwell, the former Cub shortstop, and Mike Simon, late catcher of Pittsburgh, the major squad of the local Federal League club will be intact for its departure tonight for training quarters at Monroe, La. Only one player will be tardy in reporting. He is Del Drake, the ex-Detroit outfielder, who is detained because of his wife's illness. Drake will be on hand before the end of the current week.

Two of Brown's men—Pitcher Willett and Catcher Chapman, already are in camp while the squad that will leave here tonight will be made up of Bridwell, Simon, Hartley, Crandall, Groom, Herbert, Buchman, Jenney, Tobin, Williams, Hugh Miller, Ward Miller, Kommer, Boucher and Matthews. Others will go direct.

Buy Uniforms Today.

The players will today be measured for uniforms which will be ready for them when the season opens. During the training season they will use their old "monkey suits" and the collection of talent at Monroe, La., will represent a variegated array of colors and stripes. Manager Mordecai Brown Monday bemoaned the loss of several uniforms and suits of clothes in the M. A. C. fire, as his trunk containing both his baseball and street attire were lost. Brown was busy Monday afternoon replenishing his wardrobe and hardly had time to greet the players who registered at the American Hotel. He had turned the minor details over to Mr. Dymforth of Chicago, who has had experience with the Chicago National League club. Brown stated Tuesday that he was not yet through signing players. He is negotiating with several big league performers and the recent decision of President Gilmore of the Feds to disregard the unwritten treaty of not signing players already under contract holds Brown up after three stars. One man, in particular, is ready to jump on any notice. Brown's squad will leave at 8:30 this evening for their Southern camp.

Don Murphy to Manage Feds. NEW YORK, March 10.—It is believed that Don Murphy will be the manager of the Brooklyn Federal League club. Murphy last year, and was especially active in the campaign of the Feds to attract the Giants in the winter series. Murphy was recently released by the Baltimore International League team.

SPORT SALAD BY L.C. DAVIS.

The Residuum. "A LAS, slack!" the magnate cried, "Of reason I'm bereft; The player gets the hair and hide, The coaches and the tail beside— And I get what is left!"

What seemed to impress the English most in reviewing our great national game was the efficiency of the pitchers. Wonder what they would have thought if they could have seen some real pitchers?

As the Owner Tells It.

The peculiar angle is that the Feds so far have signed only men that their bosses were just on the point of firing, anyway.

Ball Player's Toast.

H ERE'S to our old Boss, Shake him down, shake him down! Here's to our old Boss, Shake him down, shake him down! Here's to our old Boss, We'll be giving him the toss, If he doesn't come across— Shake him down, down, down! What do you mean, Rockefeller?

Johnny McGraw, who once pulled a Benedict Arnold on the American League, says Grover Hartley had a promising future and should have remained "loyal" to organized ball. This, coming from such an eminent authority on "loyalty," will probably cause Grover to feel very remorseful.

George Stovall is said to be in Florida trying to kidnap Gus Williams. George has evidently developed into a collector of curios.

Keep Your Shirts On, Men!

A STATISTICIAN has figured it out that the Browns put in two and a half hours a day changing their clothes. Looks like first division!

Hans Lobert has distinguished himself by signing with the Phillies. Hans always was a peculiar guy.

Long, Long Ago.

We can remember the time when the paramount question among the fans was "who is the best ballplayer?" Now the tag is "who is the highest-priced ballplayer?"

This year we will enjoy the spectacle of seeing a lot of \$15,000 private taking orders from a cheap \$6000 manager.

Mordecai Brown and his coming champions will leave tonight for their training camp in Monroe, La. Col. Hedges knew what he was talking about when he said the Feds would have to get out of St. Louis.

The baseball situation is running true to form once more. Fielder Jones has refused an offer from the Federals and Art Shafer, the Giants' third baseman, has announced his annual retirement.

BATTILING LEVINSKY IS AGAIN COFFEY'S MASTER

NEW YORK, March 10.—Battling Levinsky again proved that he is Jim Coffey's master in a fast 10-round bout at the Garden A. C. last night. It was the third battle between them and the third straight victory for Levinsky. Coffey put up a good battle for three rounds. But after that he lost his form completely, lacked judgment of distance and failed to connect his punches. At all times during the last seven rounds Levinsky had a decided advantage. Coffey weighed 174 pounds, Levinsky 172 pounds. Young Brown of the East Side, weighing 184 pounds, outpointed Phil Bloom of Brooklyn, weighing 184 pounds, in the second 10-round bout, which went the limit. Neither boy scored a knockdown.

TRENDALL IS TOO FAST FOR WAUGH, FIGHT FANS THINK

Texas Boxer Has Shown Improvement in Past Three Seasons.

Harry Trendall's cleverness and experience against the best lightweights in the United States is expected to earn him the referee's verdict in the eighth-round boxing feature of the Future City Athletic Club show tonight.

Bobby Waugh of Texas is Trendall's opponent. He's a strong boy, young and with a wallop. He has fought several tough customers, and while his record, as given out by his manager, bears many signs of having been stuffed, enough of it is reliable to make it certain Bobby is a dangerous lightweight in a long fight.

His bouts with Yoakum, Daniels and Charley White stamp him as a boxer of class. Trendall is used to the eight-round game, however, and knows more than Waugh about the scientific angle. Bobby should get the short end of the verdict, the many friends of Trendall declare. Two preliminaries of eight rounds are carded.

Duffy May Show Here Again.

Secretary Frank Bishop of the National Athletic Club expects to match Jimmy Duffy of Lockport, N. Y., with the winner of the contest between Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion of England, and Harry Trendall, which is scheduled to take place on April 2, but should Welsh lose to Joe Rivers, whom he meets in California on March 17, and should Trendall be defeated by Bobby Waugh at the Future City Athletic Club on Tuesday evening, it will cause a switch in the proposed program that will probably result in Duffy being matched with Leo Kelly. The latter made a good showing not long ago against Welsh, and is willing to take on Duffy.

If Welsh should lose to Rivers and Trendall wins from Waugh, then the match for April 2 before the N. A. C. will be between Trendall and Duffy, and should the latter be returned the winner he will be matched with Kelly for the following date.

President Tommy Sullivan of the Future City Athletic Club is negotiating with Jack Dillon of Indianapolis, Ind., to come here and meet Larry English on March 17, but has not yet received Dillon's positive acceptance of the match. Dillon boxed a draw with "Fireman" Jim Flynn at Kansas City on March 8, and has numerous engagements ahead.

Ritchie Favored to Win in Short Bout With Wolgast Will Be Third Meeting

Champion Lightweight Intimates He Will Eliminate Predecessor as Title Claimant in Milwaukee Contest Thursday.

By Harry S. Sharpe, Referee for the Future City A. C. and the Post-Dispatch's Boxing Authority.

WILLIE RITCHIE, champion lightweight boxer, threatens to slam all the championship notions out of Ad Wolgast's brain when the two enter the ring for a 10-round bout before the Queensbury Athletic Club of Milwaukee, Wis., next Thursday night.

Ritchie intimates that he has grown very tired of being traduced as a non-fighting champion. Furthermore, he resents the implication that Wolgast, from whom he won the title Nov. 28, 1912, on a foul in the sixteenth round, is not a fighter, but inasmuch as he was tempted by an offer of about \$10,000 to prove that Wolgast and he are not in the same class when it comes to fighting he agreed to waive personal opinions and diddies and give a practical demonstration.

To the writer it looks as if the bout will go the limit, with Ritchie declared the winner, certainly getting no worse than a draw. Ritchie can outbox Wolgast, even if he can't outlast him, which is not at all certain, considering that Wolgast's hands are much the worse for wear, and for a long while he has been chopping and swinging with the sides of his hands, rather than resorting to straight punching or landing blows with his knuckles.

Ad Will Be Handicapped.

Wolgast tears and mauls his opponents in a very rough manner. But he will have to be careful just how far he goes with this sort of thing in his fight next Thursday night, because he will be closely watched by a member of the Wisconsin Boxing Commission, which body has warned him that a repetition of bear-cat methods which featured his late bout with Joe Rivers will bring about his disqualification and banishment from the Wisconsin boxing game. Clipping his claws in this manner will somewhat handicap Wolgast, while it will favor Ritchie. Wolgast's one chance to win seems to be by a knockout, barring, of course, the possibility of winning on a foul. He is far more likely to get a draw or be "shaded." The latter, in the writer's opinion, is the most probable thing to happen.

GENE DELMONT IS NEWEST STAR OF 122-POUND CLASS

Memphis Boy Adds to Growing String of Victories by Trimming Delaney.

When Stanley Roberts was beaten at Memphis by Gene Delmont, some weeks ago, local fans were amazed. Delmont was a new one to them in the featherweight division, and Stanley Roberts had shown he was very, very good.

That Delmont is there, and not a false alarm, has been shown since. After beating several good men, since his engagement with Roberts, Delmont Monday night proved his right to rank by decisively trimming Cal Delaney, the Cleveland feather, knocking him down twice, according to dispatches.

It was the first time Delaney has been decisively beaten since he began his rise. Delmont had six rounds and two were even. In the third, Delmont floored Delaney with a pivot blow, while in the sixth a clean right to the jaw dropped the Cleveland man.

Delmont's next match will be with the Cincinnati sensation, Knockout Marx.

Ritchie Is Favored.

Then, again, Ritchie appears to be inordinately jealous of his title and if little fighting and good management counts for anything he is in little danger of losing it for some time to come, and should he win from Wolgast on next Thursday night, though by what appears a small margin, there will be less likelihood of his losing it in 20 rounds to a man he had beaten three times than to such tough propositions as Freddie Welsh, Charley White, "Har-

Butler Making Good at Short for Cardinals

Ex-Pirate Second Sacker Will Succeed Hauser on Huggins' Infield.

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., March 10.—Artie Butler, secured in a trade with Pittsburgh, won his spurs as a shortstop and undoubtedly will guard that position when the Cardinals face the National League barrier April 10. He has shown much improvement in the last few days, and Huggins has manifested a great interest in his work.

In an eight-inning practice game yesterday the Regulars walloped the Recruits, 6-1, getting three runs to start the game. Dot Miller, with two doubles and a single, set the pace for the hitters, while Griner, showing in right field for the Regulars, poked a double and triple. Sales pitched for the Recruits and loafed through his short session on the hill. Steele was effective for the Regulars.

"ACTOIDS" ACT ACTIVELY.

Luxative-Furgative-Take "ACTOIDS" HERRESHOFF AND TRAVERS AFTER BRITISH GOLF CUP

NEW YORK, March 10.—Fred Herreshoff of Garden City, twice runner-up in the national amateur golf championship, and formerly holder of the Metropolitan title, will sail on the steamship Baltic next Thursday for England in company with Jerome D. Travers, the holder of the national title.

Travers and Herreshoff will visit Sandwich together, and are likely to play practice matches over various British courses. After the British amateur tournament in May they will go to France for the French event, and will return to England in time for the open tournament at Prestwick. They will sail for America around July 1.

For the eleventh time Fielder Jones has announced his intention of striking to the lumber business in the Pacific Northwest. His first scout as manager of the Brooklyn

SCHOOLBOY TANK TEAMS PLANNING MEET FOR TITLE

Central and Soldan, Now Tie for Championship, to Compete in April.

Despite the fact that there will be a interscholastic swimming meet this spring, adherents to high-school athletics will see the "prep" paddlers in action next month. It has been decided to allow the Soldan and Central teams which tied for first honors in the meet last fall, to stage a dual event to decide this year's championship. Central already has a squad lined up and under the direction of Capt. Leland Hawdo should give the West Enders quite a tussle.

Among the starters at the mid-city meet are Toole and Brigham, sprinters; Seldon, long distance; Gale, plunger; and Bane fancy diver. Of these Bane, Hawdo and Brigham are M. A. C. paddlers. The former holds the diving honors in the Western Division of the A. A. U.

Conditions are not in quite as good a shape at Soldan as some of the other swimmer swimmers are unable to compete. However, Coach Randolf is making an effort to pump up a squad to battle the Central side. From as plunger, McFarland, fancy diver; Shurtle, distance, and Grote in the 50, is about 50 percent of the available material.

Local high schools refuse to be outdone by the universities in athletics. Central and Soldan have issued calls for spring football practice so as to get a line on the new material.

This practice was inaugurated at the West End institution last year, and proved to be a success, consequently it is being taken to by the other schools. McKinlay and Tiedman also promise to get late action within a short time.

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Sport News and Comment

BROWNS WIN ODD GAME FROM CUBS IN FIRST SERIES

Success of Rickety's Men in Clash With National League Is Beyond Expectations.

FINAL BOUT A DRAW

Game Called at End of Seventh Inning, After Cubs Knot Score, 5-5.

From a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 10.—By tying the final game of the training series with the Cubs, 5-5, in seven innings yesterday, the Browns came through with a very creditable record. Out of a possible six the St. Louis boys dropped the first two, bagged the following three and tied the last. While he used his best men in the last game and was to all appearances trying hard to win, Manager Rickety is, on the whole, well satisfied with the result and is reckoning on an increased feeling of confidence among his players because of the success they have met in the pre-season contests so far.

The squad has now scattered for the new time, the rookies under Rickety leaving on the night train for St. Augustine and the older heads scheduled to depart for Fort Myers Wednesday morning to play a series with the Louisville Colonels. The latter squad will be headed by Austin and Wallace and will return here in time to hook up with the Kentuckians next Saturday afternoon. The youngsters are due back Sunday.

Pratt's Triple Nets Run.

The final combat with the Cubs was a new affair, the Browns taking a lead in the second inning, when Pratt hit for three bases and scored on Clarence Walker's sacrifice fly to center. In the third the Cubs came back with three singles and a triple, the latter by Pratt. Two bases on balls and a double by Austin evened things up in the fifth, but Sauer put the Cubs ahead once more in their half by a double, a wild pitch from James and a sacrifice fly. The Browns forged ahead in the sixth when they scored two runs on singles by Pratt and Clarence Walker, a wild pitch by Jimmy Archer and a long fly. The Cubs tied the score in the seventh and final inning on a home run and a slugging three-bagger by Sauer that he tried to stretch into a homer and was given the little end of the decision at the pan. The game was then called in order that the Browns could return to their hotel and arrive in St. Petersburg in time to catch the night train North.

Rickety to Use Rookies.

Upon his departure Rickety made a statement to the effect that he expects his men to take at least two of the five contests which they play during their visit in St. Augustine and Jacksonville and three of them with the Cards and two with Connie Mack's rookies. The latter team, he said, will probably contain two or three regulars, but he is taking none of his older men on the trip.

The list includes Bloland, Bold, James, Jenkins, Manning, Messenger, Miller, Ruml, Stevens and Ernest Hoch.

Although not openly admitting it, even the newspaper men with the Cubs are not unaccustomed to the showing their boys made against the Browns in the series, just ended. Jimmy Archer's peg his game away on a number of occasions. Herman Brock, late of Toledo, has done little effective work with the bat. Red Corriden is rather erratic, and some of his best hitting has been shown in the pre-season games.

FEDS PREPARE TO SIGN PLAYERS UNDER CONTRACT

CHICAGO, March 10.—The Federal League has already begun its campaign to get players under contract with the American and National leagues. The league's special dispatches from Southern training camps. Manager George Stall of the Kansas City Federals was reported at Tampa, Fla., and the St. Louis Cardinals and St. Louis Americans, and admitted that he was at St. Louis.

From the Chicago Federals' training camp at Shreveport came word that four members of the Boston Americans—two pitchers, a third baseman and a shortstop—were sent a telegram to President Gilmore, asking for terms. Another story from Shreveport said that George Alexander, pitcher for the Philadelphia Athletics, had applied for a place in the new league.

INDIANAPOLIS FEDERALS OFF FOR WICHITA FALLS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 10.—Four teen players, including Manager William Phillips, of the Indianapolis Federal League team, departed this afternoon for their spring training camp at Wichita Falls, Tex. Four players, pitchers Mullen and Falkenberg, and catcher Hamilton and Taylor, are already at the camp and others will join the party at St. Louis.

COULON WILLIAMS BOUT WILL BE FOUGHT JUNE 9

CHICAGO, March 10.—The date of the coming fight between Jimmy Coulon, ex-Kid Williams in 1907, and the agreement was signed for June 9, and the agreement was signed.

MAY'S COLUMN

How Times Have Changed!

BASEBALL players throughout the country ought to raise a sinking fund to be turned over to the Federal League, in case the financial going for the outlaws proves rough, the first season. FOR THE PLAYERS OWE THE NEW LEAGUE EMANCIPATION—JUST THAT.

Since the advent of the third league the poor human "chattel" of earlier times has gained the following advantages:

Greatly increased salaries. A refuge in case of impeachment by Organized Baseball club owners.

Recognition for the Fraternity by the National Commission. Long-term contracts and abolition of the perpetual reserve rule.

Many favorable modifications of contract, among them being 17 changes effected at the Cincinnati meeting.

Nullification of the blacklist. Wider field for the disposal of their services.

THE baseball club owner now waits on the player instead of pressing a button and shooting him from New York to Vancouver, there to remain buried until he sees fit to rescue him.

Fine for the Youngster.

PERHAPS the greatest good to be seen in the Federal League's coming is in the case of the young players. Big leagues have been carrying on the bench men for whom they have only occasional use and who would become experienced and valuable players with everyday work. The Federal League has grabbed a number of such men who might otherwise have been vegetated for years in big league organizations.

McGraw Sympathizes.

TAKE the case of Catchers, Wilson and Hartley, formerly of the Giants. McGraw, while here on route for training camp Monday, stated that he was sorry to see both these young men go to the Fed, but that he could understand why they wanted to get regularly and could not get the chance while experienced men and hard hitters like McGraw were in front of them.

Without the Federal League, these players might have gone on indefinitely. BENCH WARMERS or emergency catchers until time eliminated the veterans.

Record Shows White Won.

THE record of the latter, according to the Andrews guide, shows White was never put out. IT DOES contain the record of two fights by White and White, in 1911, one of which was a 15-round draw, and the other won by White, the contest being stopped in the seventh round.

So much for White's KNOCKOUT of a near-champion.

The "High-Ups" Do It, Too.

DON'T suppose for a minute that fudging the record is a mere bush league fight stunt—the men higher up do the same thing. Eddie McGooty is pulling the wool slowly but surely over the optics of the Australians with a faked record.

McGooty's cards state that he beat Bob Moha in nine rounds, but the bout went 10 rounds and was a no-decision affair. MOHA really had much the better of the bout, according to a New York authority who saw the mill. McGooty's records contain some absolute untruths. Among other statements made are allegations of knockouts in 1912 of Walter Scott, Battling Levinsky, Hugo Kelly, Bill McKinnon, Knockout Brown and Cyclone Johnny Thompson.

They get away with this stuff unchallenged. A commission with power to order a black list would speedily remedy such conditions.

What Could Happen.

A NATIONAL boxing commission could do all these useful things for the game:

Hartley Says Player Who Turns Down Fed Offer Is an Ingrate

THE ball player who turned down a Federal League offer is an ingrate, in the opinion of Gray Hartley, the former New York catcher, who is a member of the local outlaws.

"I have little respect for the player who used his Federal League offer to get more money from Organized Baseball," said Hartley, Tuesday, at the American Hotel. "I also felt to see the reason for players not joining the Federal League."

"I worked three years for McGraw in New York and my salary, exclusive of the world's cup money, was a 100," he continued. "And I can name a hundred other ball players who, prior to this year, were getting minor league wages for playing in the big leagues. Now they all are getting what they should have been paid for the past two or three years simply because the Federal League boosted the prices. I'm for the people who made it possible for me to get the increase and I'm going to do the darndest to make the Federal League a success."

"That stuff that McGraw handed to Magee, Wingo and other tourists about making a team that would land them—Magee, Wingo and I—in New York, is funny to me, so at all—in New York, is funny to me."

UFFENHEIMER WINNER IN FIRST MATCH OF 18.2

NEW YORK, March 10.—Dr. W. E. Uffenheimer of Philadelphia sprang a surprise on his fellow teamman, Joseph Mayer, the amateur billiard champion, at the Amateur Billiard Club of New York last night, when he defeated the title holder by a great rally in the first game of the Class A 18.2 ball tournament by a score of 400 to 385. The champion was off form. Dr. Uffenheimer did not play brilliant billiards, but he showed the more consistent game, and this earned him the victory. The contest lasted over three hours. The winner averaged 7.43-51.

Lipton Cup Trials in June. SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—The second Lipton Cup trials in June is the date selected for a meeting by the California Yacht Club Association for the first of the trophy races to be held over the regular channel course in San Francisco Bay. The boats will be class N yachts, 11 to 12 foot rating.

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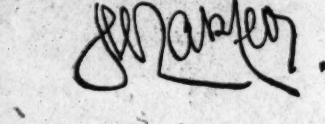
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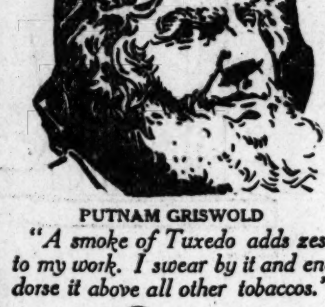
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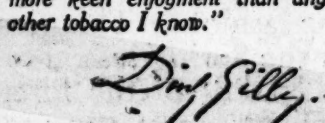
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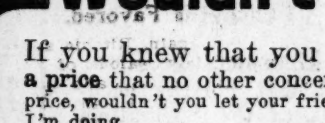
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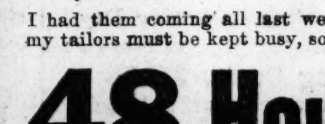
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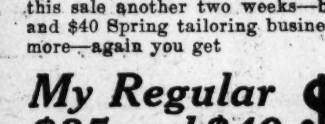
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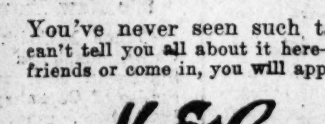
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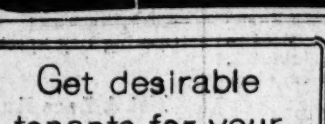
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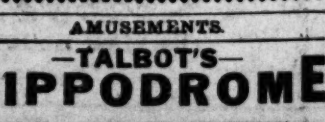
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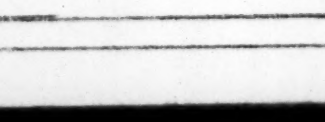
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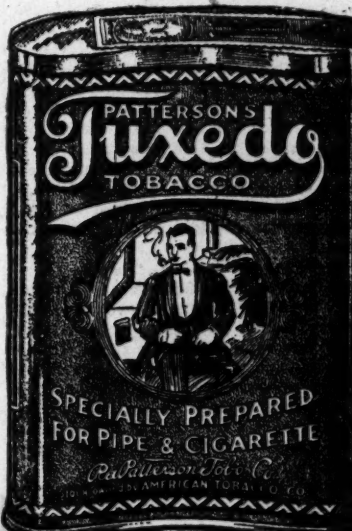
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31 MULES BURN TO DEATH IN UNION SAND CO. STABLE

Thirty-one mules perished and three others were burned so severely they had to be shot, in a fire which destroyed the warehouse and stable of the Union Sand

and Material Co., Main and Clinton streets, at 2 a. m. Tuesday. Two other mules were rescued by firemen. The animals were valued at \$250 each. Harness and feed valued at \$200 were destroyed. The loss on the building, a one-story concrete structure, and a quantity of cement was \$300. The fire started in the hayloft.

\$250,000 Fire in Terre Haute. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., March 10.—Fire that started shortly before midnight did damage estimated at \$250,000 to buildings and stocks of goods in the center of the business district. The blaze was discovered in a wholesale drug house from which it rapidly spread.

CHARTER MAKERS HIT A SNAG IN MULLANPHY FUND

Freeholders Puzzled as to How to Administer \$1,500,000 Request for Emigrants.

How to make the \$1,500,000 Bryan Mullanphy fund serve some useful charitable purpose is one of the big problems the Board of Freeholders is considering while putting the finishing touches on its draft of a proposed new city charter.

This fund, dedicated by the will of Bryan Mullanphy to the relief of emigrants to the West, is generally supposed to have outlived its usefulness. Last year only a few hundred dollars was contributed to the purpose for which the fund was created, while the cost of administration amounted to several thousand dollars.

Thomas J. Rowe, one of the lawyer members of the Freeholders' Board, suggested the city lay the facts before the Supreme Court in a suit and ask to have the fund applied to some practicable charity. Seiden P. Spencer, another lawyer member, said there is great need for the fund, if it is properly administered.

30,000 Emigrants Each Year. He said 30,000 emigrants to the West passed through St. Louis every year, and that the income of the fund, could be used in accordance with the provisions of Mullanphy's will if the Mullanphy Board would seek out the needy travelers.

Freeholder Charles Rutledge declared the board takes no interest in the proper administration of the fund, and that it could be made to serve a useful purpose if properly applied.

One of the by-laws of the Mullanphy Board is that the secretary shall meet every incoming train from the East to seek needy emigrants. It was declared by members of the Freeholders' Board that this rule of the Mullanphy Board was entirely ignored. The subject of proper administration was brought up for discussion in connection with the plan of control to be provided by the new charter. Chairman Jesse McDonald said he believed it would be better to appoint a single director of the fund, to serve under the general direction of the Board of Public Improvements, instead of a separate board.

Can't Decide How to Handle It. The board now consists of 12 members, but the present Board of Freeholders never has considered having three members. Whether to pay a director a salary or to pay three members of a board enough to cause them to take proper interest in the administration of the fund is one of the questions the Freeholders have not determined.

Former Judge Caulfield, counsel for the Freeholders, was requested to look up the decisions of the Supreme Court on the Mullanphy fund to ascertain whether it would be possible to use the money for some other purpose than Mullanphy intended.

The Freeholders are revising the draft of the charter, going over it article by article and putting it in shape for final adoption. According to the schedule agreed upon by the members, the charter must be finished by April 1.

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WOMAN BELIEVED LOST IN \$75,000 DEXTER FIRE

Two Hotels Are Destroyed and Several Business Houses Are Damaged. DEXTER, Mo., March 10.—In a fire originating in the Central Hotel, at 4 o'clock this morning, Addie May Dawson, of Poplar Bluff, Mo., is believed to have perished and the building was destroyed. J. F. Smith of Dexter suffered burns before he leaped through a window. The other guests escaped injury.

The St. Francis Hotel, managed by W. P. Norrd, also was burned. The guests were not injured.

Others who suffered business losses were: Edward P. Crowe, newspaper, the Dexter Statesman; Jesse Crouch, meat market; W. T. Hoppers, restaurant; George Skinner, shoe shop; Jesse Green, restaurant; R. J. Jennings, printing office; S. E. Newhouse, real estate office, and J. F. Blankinship & Co., land office.

The loss is estimated at \$75,000. Rebuilding will be begun at once.

JAMES F. COYLE DIES ON A STREET CAR

Silk Merchant Stricken on Delmar Line; Rev. W. J. Williamson Helps Carry Body to Store. James F. Coyle, 69 years old, of 4 Yale avenue, University City, president of James F. Coyle & Co., silk merchants, died of heart disease on a Delmar car at Twelfth and Olive streets at 3 p. m. Monday.

The Rev. W. J. Williamson, pastor of Third Baptist Church, who was on the car, assisted in carrying Coyle's body to a nearby building. Members of Coyle's family said he had been under treatment for heart disease for several years.

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BRITISH AVIATOR KILLED

Infantry Captain Falls With His Machine at Salisbury.

SALISBURY, England, March 10.—Capt. Cyril R. Downer of the Northamptonshire Infantry Regiment, was killed today by a fall with his aeroplane, when flying over the military aerodrome at Salisbury Plain.

He had only recently been detailed for service with the army flying corps.

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At Famous-Barr Co. Tomorrow Is the Last of the Spring Opening Days

THE formal exhibits of authentic modes in Spring apparel conclude tomorrow, though special displays of fashionable raiment will be made throughout the week, for the viewing of people who follow the trend of the fashions. This great ingathering of stylish wearables accurately interprets the dominating fashions of the Spring season & is an exposition of the cleverest ideas which give, in substantial form, the genius & skill of the foremost designers. As a demonstration of the new styles this opening is one of great achievement, interesting to the general public, informative & pleasing to Milady of fashion. To make the event a practical occasion, a splendid array of special offerings are given which enable those who wish to combine the pleasurable viewing with profitable buying.

Here Are the Specials for Wednesday's Selling. Note Them Well

Charming Spring Dresses, \$23.50

Beautiful new models that portray accurately the newest ideas of the Springtime fashions. In these the new tunic, ruffle, overskirt & bouffant modes are given prominence. Materials that have favor are new taffeta, crepe meteor & cascadeaux, these in light & dark shades—garments that will meet with favor from the discriminating. Opening Day Special, \$23.50.

Stylish New Spring Coats, \$18.75

Striking new models in three-quarter length Spring Coats that are fashioned from serge, poplin, ripple cloth & wool sponge. The newest shades are shown as also are navy & black, & coats are lined throughout with light-colored peau de cygne. Some are trimmed with plaid crepes, others variously embellished. Opening Day Special, \$18.75.

Silk Allover Lace Blouses

Beautiful new Spring models in all-over lace & colored Chiffon Blouses, direct copies from some imported models. Americanized to meet with the approval of particular women, with new standing or frill collars, in white or cream. Opening Day Special, \$4.65.

New Dainty Voile Waists

Petite styles in crisp, new Voile Waists, with colored dotted collars, & cuffs, finished with lace edging, well made & very attractive garments. Opening Day Special, \$2.90.

Children's Ratine Coats

Cunning new Spring Ratine Coats, in box style with belted back, trimmed with pique collar, cuffs, buttons & embroidery, made with 2 pockets, sizes to 6 years. Opening Day Special, \$4.75.

"Cupid's Darts" Perfume

Rigaud's Latest Parisian Success—An exquisite perfume made by the maker of the unrivaled "Maly Garden" in dainty imported 3-oz bottles, each in fancy carton. Opening Day Special, \$1.

Argentine Girdles

A novelty aash very much in vogue for Spring—it is a double draped girdle of contrasting two-tone effect, graceful & becoming, of excellent quality mersaline. Opening Day Special, \$1.

Women's New Ascot Ties

The very newest idea in footwear, new black satin one-eyelid Ascot Ties, with covered Louis XV Heels hand turned, plain toe, our \$4 grade. Opening Day Special, \$3.85.

The Witchery of Spring Millinery

Spring Hats are compelling in their quaint beauty. The majestic flaring sides, the odd turns of the brim, the petite crowns & the strange angles in their lines give them a chic becomingness that is refreshingly new in millinery.

In the Hats which now bid for favor the Watteau influence is shown, & history is repeating itself after a hundred years in an artistic & satisfying way to the followers of style.

Materials which have first favor are Milan hemp, Belgian splits, Swiss piping & transparent lace hair braids as well as rich brocaded fiber materials.

We cordially invite your viewing of the special opening displays Wednesday.

(Third Floor.)

Women's French Kid Gloves

Splendid quality French Kid Gloves, in black or white, with large pearl clasp fasteners & heavily embroidered stitching. Opening Day Special, pair, \$1.55.

Main Floor, Aisle 3

98c New Figured Crepes, 75c

40-inch half-silk Jacquard Crepe de Chine, much in demand fabric for Spring in new multi-printed patterns, shades of Copenhagen, mahogany, pink, light blue, gray, wistaria & reseda. Opening Day Special, yard, 75c.

Main Floor, Aisle 1

\$2.50 Crepe de Chine, \$1.88

46-inch Crepe de Chine in colors Copenhagen, cadet, navy, white & black, assured vogue this season. Opening Day Special, yard, \$1.88.

Main Floor, Aisle 1

Net & Lace Ruffings, 15c Yard

New patterns in Lace & Chiffon Ruffings, also plain fine net in shades, white, ecru & black, regular 25c & 35c quality. Opening Day Special, yard, 15c.

Main Floor, Aisle 2

Silk Taffeta Ribbons, 17c Yard

Best quality heavy all-silk Ribbon, high luster on both sides, shades, white, red, pink & blue, regular 21c quality. Opening Day Special, yard, 17c.

Main Floor, Aisle 2

Nainsook Petticoats

Spring styles in women's Nainsook Petticoats made with deep flounces of blind embroidery or lace. Opening Day Special, \$2.40.

Third Floor

Silk Mull Bloomers

Kaickerbocker style, elastic top & bottom in colors, pink, white & blue. Opening Day Special, 75c.

Third Floor

Serpentine Crepe Kimonos

New Spring styles made with large sailor collar of satin, belted back. Opening Day Special, \$1.69.

Third Floor

Silk "Surety" Stockings

Women's black full fashioned, pure thread, silk boot Surety Hose with high spliced heel, double soles & toes, 50c quality. Opening Day Special, 35c.

Main Floor, Aisle 6

Hand Crochet Vests

Women's low neck, sleeveless, extra & regular sizes with pretty hand crochet lace yokes at 1/4 to 1/2 saving. Opening Day Special, 39c.

Main Floor, Aisle 7

Silk & Linen Shirts

Men's Silk & Linen Mixed Shirts, neckband style with French cuffs, striped & figured patterns, Spring Shirts, bought to sell at \$2.50. Opening Day Special, \$1.95.

Day Special, \$1.95.

Women's & Misses' Spring Suits, \$16

An opening special which gives wonderful opportunity for choosing a stylish new Suit & at the same time effecting savings that are truly worth while. Several jaunty models are included, faultlessly tailored from serge, Bedford cord, ripple cloth & wool crepe, in newest colors as well as black. The latest overskirt & tier effects are shown in the skirts & suits are remarkable values. As Opening Day Special, \$16.

Women's Suits at \$33

A splendid showing of plain tailored & dressy models, fashioned in accord to the most recent mandates of Fashion from crepe, faille silk, moire, ripple silk, silk poplin, bayadere, fine serge & gaberdine cloth. Spring's newest shades are represented. Opening Day Special, \$33.

Third Floor

Men's New Stocks

Four-in-Hands in all plain crepe, faille, all colors, promised great vogue for Spring. Opening Day Special, \$1.

Main Floor, Aisle 10

Men's Balbriggan Underwear

Shirts, long sleeves, French neck, pearl buttons—drawers, ankle length with double seat & strap back made of best quality combed yarn, 1 1/2 under worth. Opening Day Special, 34c.

Main Floor, Aisle 7

Men's Spring Hats

Men's new Spring Soft & Stiff Hats, large assortment of all wanted styles & colors. Opening Day Special, \$1.55.

Main Floor, Aisle 10

Boys' Spring Reefers

Nobby little Coats for boys 2 1/2 to 8 years, made of blue serge, tan covert, black & white Shepherd checks, plain & fancy gray & brown mixtures, all wool fabrics—D. B. models with belted backs—\$5 value. Opening Day Special, \$3.75.

Second Floor

Men's & Young Men's \$15 Blue Serge Suits, \$12.75

Of Washington serge, alpaca lined, 3 & 3 button models—conservative cut trousers with plain or cuff bottoms, all sizes for men & young men. Opening Day Special, \$12.75.

Second Floor

Canary Birds, \$1.95

Genuine Harris Mountain Canary Birds, every one guaranteed to sing, all good, healthy birds. Opening Day Special, \$1.95.

Bird Room, Basement Salesroom

FREE

With Every Purchase of \$10 or Over

This beautiful, high-grade Brass Bed will be delivered to your home with your purchase of \$10 or over. Do not fail to take advantage of this offer.

Brass Bed Outfit

Complete \$40 value, at \$29.75

Brass Bed, Spring and Mattress, all complete.

\$2 Cash 50c a Week

CASCARETS FOR SLUGGISH BOWELS, BILIOUS HEADACHE AND SALLOW SKIN.

Parrot Tongue, Bad Taste, Indigestion, Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches come from a torpid liver and constipated bowels, which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, foul gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental fears, everything that is horrible and nauseating. A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box will keep your head clear, stomach sweet, liver and bowels regular and make you feel cheerful and bully for months. Don't forget your children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too, occasionally.—ADV.

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IN BEST DRUGS—ANY DRUG STORE

MADE IN U.S.A. 50 CENT BOXES

WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Sign Bridge Petition Initiative Petitions for a Public Vote on a Bond Issue Are in Circulation Today Smash the Combine

Automobile Want Ads
Again—Sunday:
Post-Dispatch 182
Twice as many as the
Eight Times as many as the
Unparalleled in Any Other Metropolitan Center

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6313 "Wants" Sunday
in the BIG WANT DIRECTORY.
Twice as many as the
Four times as many as the
More "Wants" in proportion to population than any other metropolitan newspaper on earth!

Sunday School Teacher to Jail.
DANVILLE, Ill., March 10.—Mrs. Emma Burkett pleaded guilty in the Federal Court yesterday to the fraudulent use of the mails in conducting a matrimonial agency. Mrs. Burkett is married and was teacher of a large Sunday-school class. She was sentenced to two months in jail.

How to Make Your Hair Beautiful

Ten Minutes' Home Treatment Works Wonders. Stops Falling Hair, Itching Scalp and Dandruff and Makes the Hair Soft, Brilliant, Lustrous and Fluffy.

Better than all the so-called "hair tonics" in the world is a simple old-fashioned home recipe consisting of plain Bay Rum, Lavender (decomposed) and a little Menthol Crystals. These three, mixed at home in a few minutes, work wonders with any scalp. Try it just one night and see. Get from your druggist 2 oz. Lavender, 4 oz. Bay Rum and 1/2 drachm Menthol Crystals. Dissolve the Crystals in the Bay Rum and pour in an 8-oz. bottle. Then add the Lavender, shake well and let it stand for an hour before using. Apply it by putting a little of the mixture on a soft cloth. Draw this cloth slowly through the hair, taking just one small strand at a time. This cleanses the hair and scalp of dirt, dandruff and excessive oil and makes the hair delightfully soft, lustrous and fluffy. To stop the hair from falling and to make it grow again, rub the lotion briskly into the scalp with the finger tips or a medium stiff brush. Apply night and morning. A few days' use and you cannot find a single loose or sagging hair. They will be locked on your scalp as tight as steel. Dandruff will disappear and itching cease. In ten days you will find the downy new hairs sprouting up all over your scalp, and the new hair will grow with wonderful rapidity. Any druggist can sell you the above. The prescription is very inexpensive and we know of nothing so effective and certain in its result.—ADV.

BRIDGE INITIATIVE CAMPAIGN STARTS WITH ENTHUSIASM

The eagerness with which voters of St. Louis signed initiative petitions for the completion of the free bridge by the Reber approach route, when they were circulated for the first time Monday night, gave every indication that the 31,000 signatures required would be obtained before the end of the week, according to officials of the Citizens' Free Bridge Committee.

The first signed petition to be returned to the headquarters of the committee in the Business Men's League offices was brought in Tuesday morning by George W. Coombes of 381A Wyoming street. The petition contained the signatures of 130 voters. Coombes obtained one of the first petitions that came from the press and took it to a meeting of the Royal Arcanum in the Odson. It was late when he arrived at the meeting, but the members stopped as they were leaving the hall and signed the petition.

Hawes Circulates Petition.
Richard S. Hawes, vice-president of the Third National Bank, after making a speech at the meeting of the Furniture Board of Trade at the Mercantile Club, took the petition for his voting

as soon as it came from the press. It also was signed by James E. Smith, vice-chairman; R. S. Hawes, chairman of the Committee on Publicity and Education; William F. Saunders, secretary of the Business Men's League; and Thomas H. Lovelace, secretary of the Citizens' Committee.

J. G. Delaplaine, grand regent of the Royal Arcanum, has sent a letter to all the Royal Arcanum lodges in St. Louis requesting that the 900 members of the different councils sign the petitions. Mike Walsh, a Democratic leader in the Third Ward, called at Citizens' Committee headquarters and asked for petitions, saying he would conduct the canvass in his ward.

Special Meetings Thursday.

A call has been issued for special meetings of all the St. Louis organizations identified with the Citizens' Committee's free bridge campaign for Thursday night, to give their members a chance to sign the petitions. The members have been asked to take as many voters as they can with them to the meetings and have them sign their petitions.

The West End Business Men's Association will have a meeting Wednesday night in Recital Hall at the Odson to have the petitions signed by its members. This association has promised to get 1500 signers.

E. A. Hildenbrandt Tuesday distributed the petitions in all the real estate offices in the city. The real estate men have promised to circulate the petitions among their friends and clients and get as many signatures as possible. Many of the real estate men have volunteered their services in the precinct campaign.

President Sam D. Capen sent letters to all members of the Business Men's League requesting them to aid in canvassing the city for signatures. The first member to respond was Jesse Candy of 5033 Minerva avenue, who promised to take out petitions in any precinct to which he was assigned. Candy is one of the owners of the Busy Bee.

Many business men called at headquarters of the Citizens' Committee Tuesday and asked for petitions. Among these were R. D. Smith, formerly an official of the McKinley System, but now engaged in the land business, and Oscar Buder, a lawyer.

Workers to Meet Tuesday.

The members of organizations who

have volunteered to circulate petitions will meet in the headquarters of the committee Tuesday afternoon. They will receive copies of the petitions for the wards and precincts in which they will be assigned to work, and will be instructed as to how to take the signatures.

All voters who were registered in February, 1913, are entitled to sign the petitions. If the voter has moved since he last registered he is entitled to sign the petitions, but must give the address from which he was registered, as well as his present address.

The petitions must be signed in ink or with indelible pencil. Those who cir-

culate the petitions will be required to make oath before a notary public that they obtained the signatures, and that they are genuine.

GIRLS: Two treasures—Charley and the diamond he bought for on charge account at Loftis Bros., 2d floor, 908 N. 6th.

War Veteran, 52, Burns to Death.
MOUNDVILLE, Kan., March 10.—Joseph Renecker, 52 years old, a veteran of the Civil War, was burned to death here last night, when he fell into a pile of burning trash at his home. No one saw the accident, and when discovered his body was burned almost beyond recognition.

A TEXAS WONDER
The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in men and women. If not sold by your druggist will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other states. Dr. E. W. Hall, 3928 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—ADV.

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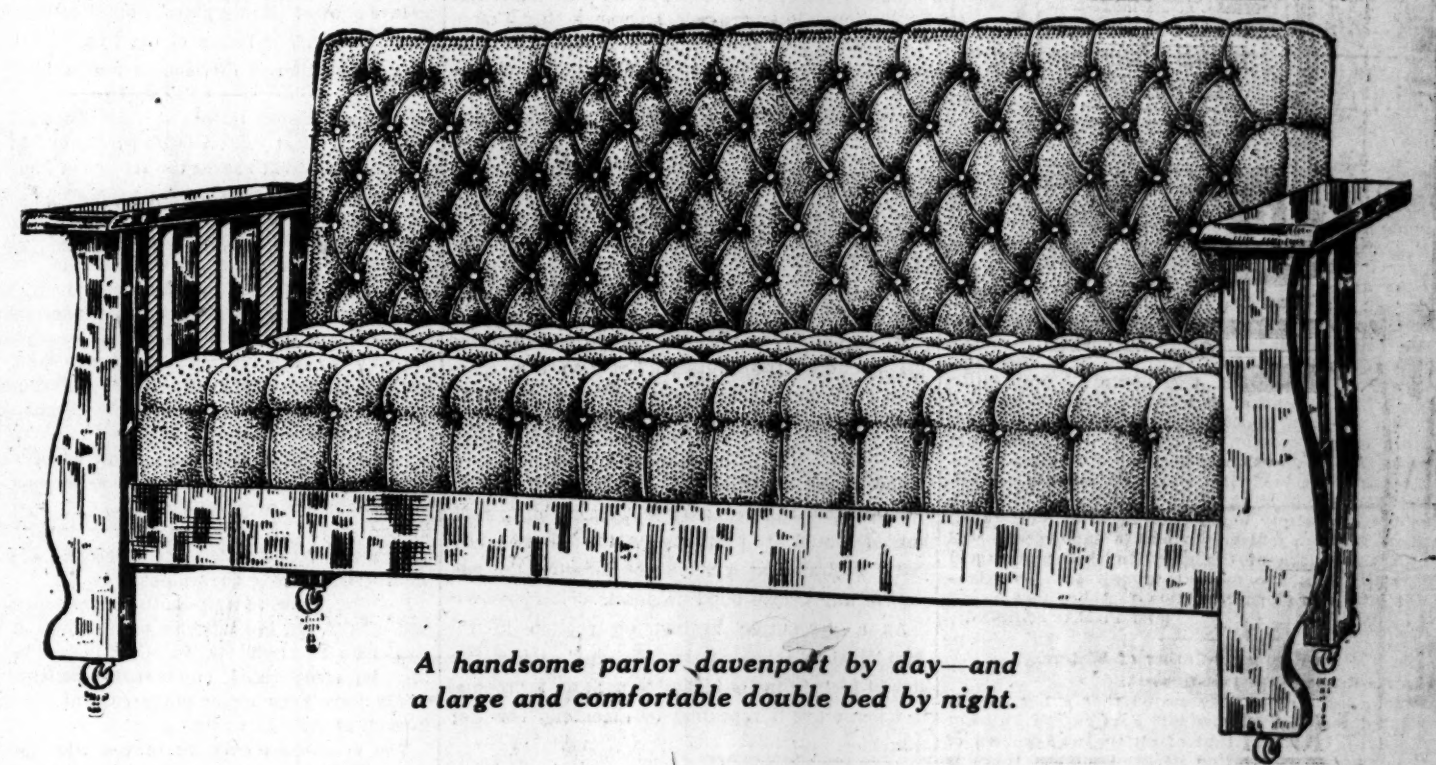
May-Stern's Great Special Offer for This Week

Handsome Bed-Davenport

Exactly as Illustrated—actual \$25.00 value for

TERMS \$1 CASH—\$1 A MONTH

\$14.75



A handsome parlor davenport by day—and a large and comfortable double bed by night.

The Tremendous Success

of this Bed-Davenport when we advertised it in our previous sales has induced us to make unusual preparation for this event—months ago we placed an immense order for these Bed-Davenports for all our various stores—and were fortunate to secure them at a decided concession—which enables us to offer them to you this week at the same low price as in our previous offerings.

Exactly as Illustrated

The picture shows the Bed-Davenport exactly as it is—but to appreciate its size, construction and finish you must come and see it for yourself. It is big, broad and massive—frames of solid oak in golden finish—and richly upholstered in Royal Leather over rows of steel springs and richly tufted. It is just the Bed-Davenport you have long wanted but never expected to secure at a price like this.

You Need This

Almost every home in this city has need for one of these attractive pieces of furniture—it is a handsome parlor davenport by day—and can be instantly converted into a broad and comfortable double bed at night if an extra bed should be needed—ample space is provided in the compartment below in which to store the blankets, sheets and pillows when not in use.

All Goods
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Plain Figures

MAY, STERN & CO.
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Strictly One
Price to
Everyone

Perfect Construction

It is a massive and beautiful Parlor Davenport by day—and can be instantly converted into a full-size double bed at night—it is almost automatic in action and so simple in mechanism that it cannot get out of order—has a large compartment underneath in which to store the bedclothes when not in use—a special feature that will recommend it to careful buyers.

See This Bed-Davenport

Note its size and beauty of finish—and compare its quality for quality and price for price, with anything shown elsewhere at \$25.00 and up—and you will then begin to appreciate what a remarkable value this is at the price we name—a splendid example of the unusual saving we are in position to offer you by reason of our buying in such immense quantities for all our various stores throughout the country.

Note the Terms

We assure you it would be quite easy for us to sell all of these Bed-Davenports for cash and at this low price of \$14.75—but we want to open a great many new accounts on our books—and for this reason we are offering the unusually easy credit terms named above—all you pay is \$1.00 cash and this Bed-Davenport will be delivered to your home—and you can pay the balance \$1.00 a month. Give this your prompt attention tomorrow—it's worth it.

An Exceptional Player-Piano, \$395

An Exceptional Sale—An Exceptional Response



200 Instruments—a 10-year guarantee

The mere fact that Vandervoort's is willing to sign a 10-year guarantee for each purchaser of a NEWTON Player-Piano has probably made the present distribution of 200 of these unusual player-pianos the assured success it is.

It was not difficult to estimate that the demand of discriminating musicians would exceed the supply of these instruments. It was characteristic of Vandervoort's power of purchase to contract for 200 instruments, so that they could be sold as low as \$395.00 and on terms of \$2.00 a week.

Your Money Back

if you are not perfectly satisfied

Co-operation begets confidence. If this Player-Piano were not all we have said for it, we could not say, "Let us send it to your home, play upon it for 30 days. If it is not satisfactory, if for any reason whatsoever, you are not entirely satisfied, send it back and we will return every penny you have paid."

This is not a "trial offer." It is nothing more or less than absolute confidence in the player-piano as a worthy instrument, and the never-ending satisfaction it will give you.

You also have the full privilege of exchanging it within one year for any other piano or player-piano on our floors of equal or higher price without money loss. And then, back of all these splendid privileges, you have the great protection—a guarantee for 10 years, signed by both the manufacturer and ourselves—a guarantee of perfect frankness, plainly written and without equivocation.

Player-Piano Music at 5 cents a roll

Membership in the Vandervoort Music Roll Exchange Library gives you the use of thousands of selected 88-note rolls, including every style of music, at the cost of 5 cents a roll. The plan is this: You may purchase any 88-note roll for \$1.00 regardless of the list price (excepting "Solostyle" rolls); this roll will be marked as a part of the Exchange Library. A roll thus purchased may be exchanged for any 88-note roll in our Music Library on payment of a 5-cent exchange fee; this roll may again be exchanged for the same fee and so on indefinitely. Your music is thus always what you most desire and yet it is still music which is your own property and not merely a hired roll which must be returned.

See Our Other Advertisement in Today's Times and Star

Our problem was one of elimination. Careful selection was requisite in the choice of a player-piano that was actually worth more than \$395—an instrument with a "player action" of high merit combined with those qualities which every piano in this store must possess—whatever its price. And having found such a piano, we still had to assure ourselves that we could justly place on it the Vandervoort "Seal of Approval" in the form of our 10-year guarantee.

We offer and we guarantee the NEWTON Player-Piano as our choice. If you choose it during this sale, we will back your choice with our word of honor.

A word of honor

This 88-note player-piano is sweet-toned and expertly built—it comes to us directly from the manufacturer and is thoroughly modern in every particular. It should give you years of dependable service. It is in every feature—desirable.

Its price is \$395. The terms are but \$2 per week. The guarantee by both Vandervoort and the Newton Piano Co. covers a period of 10 years. Any defect in material or workmanship appearing in that time will be corrected by this store without expense to the purchaser.

\$2.00

per Week

pays the balance after a small first payment has been made. Your money back. If this Player-Piano proves in any way unsatisfactory after 30 days' use, return it and receive back all money paid.

A Year's Exchange Period permits, without money loss, the exchange of this Player within a year for a similar or more expensive instrument. Vandervoort's and the manufacturer both guarantee this Player-Piano for a period of ten years.

The Family is protected by our custom of voluntarily canceling the contract in the event of the purchaser's death before payment is completed and of giving the instrument to the family without further payments.

Nine Free Music Rolls are given with each Player-Piano and the unlimited privilege of exchanging these rolls at the small exchange fee of five cents per roll. A Player-Bench to match the instrument, given free, delivery within 60 miles of St. Louis.

The influence of music

Music holds sway in our schools, our churches, our clubs, in every place that society meets. Sad to relate, music is often absent in the place it is most needed and demanded—the home.

If the matter of price has hitherto shut the influence of music from your home, if your children have not enjoyed the education of good music, this sale of a remarkable music-maker—the Newton Player-Piano—is worthy of your most careful and earnest consideration. Its cost will be but \$2.00 each week.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Repeat the Loop Franchise.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
In your editorial of March 7 referring to the loop franchise, you say "The Post-Dispatch has opposed the repeal as unnecessary and unwise." Will you kindly state specifically why you consider the matter in this light?

At any rate, I firmly believe that there are enough voters who think differently to defeat any bond issue that may be submitted to them until the loop franchise is absolutely repealed, a reduction of its life will not suffice. It is wise and necessary to repeat it, because in all probability the bridge will never be built with it, and because it is a waste of \$60,000 every time it is submitted. I am of the opinion that this is the paramount issue. If the question of bottling up the bridge on the East Side is finally and satisfactorily settled, we will then find that the same people have the bridge completely bottled up on the west side. This condition will be obvious to anyone who will give this phase of the question the most casual investigation; the more thorough the investigation, the more apparent this fact becomes.

TOM F. MASTERSON.

To Represent Father of Waters.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Your issue of Sunday stated that a big man is wanted for "the Mississippi" part in the Pageant Masque. I suggest that of all the well-known of the younger generation of St. Louisans there is none better known or more suitable to take the part than the favorite St. Louis actor, King Baggott, who is a man of large figure and good stage presence, who can ride a horse most gracefully and would make an ideal figure. J. D. S.

The City Should Clean Sidewalks.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
In your editorial, "To Harmonize the Flats," you have reached the proper, correct and legal conclusion—quoting "Let the City Clean the Sidewalks as it Cleans the Streets." To support the correctness and legality of that quoted sentence I would call your attention to Article 16, Section 8 of the City Charter of 1875, which reads as follows: Section 8. "The citizens of St. Louis are hereby exempt from working on the roads or public highways of the city, any law to the contrary notwithstanding."

A Stubborn Thing.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
It's a hard fact that among the anti-suffrage women at the Chicago meeting, not one could be found for a bread and cake contest, while the leading suffragist present was a woman famous for making good bread and cake. Let us have no more nonsense about suffrage destroying the home. PROGRESS.

Injustice Makes Enemies.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
I read Mr. Stagg's letter on the express situation with considerable amusement. It is all right for him to talk about the people's interests, etc., now, but he must remember that some people have memories and I for one shall never forget the treatment I received at his hands. One in being outside of their delivery zone and having to pay additional charges on a prepaid package. I once paid \$1.50 to have a small crock sent from St. Louis to St. Joseph, Mo. Since the parcels post started, I get articles every week from Chicago. You can't "bull" me. STUNG.

Anticipating Woman Suffrage.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
In today's Post-Dispatch, the article "Woman Suffrage in Anticipation in the New City Charter" makes for good reading.
"A provision of the proposed charter requires that all male salaried employees receiving more than \$3 a day, or \$30 a month, shall be registered voters of the city."
It must have taken the profound wisdom of a law-making body to make it possible that "this was added to the clause."
"Whenever woman suffrage becomes a law and women become voters at the regular elections, they shall be subject to the same law as men."
I am glad to read that women have received some consideration by the freholders. A shoe-maker might have punctured the word "male" with his awl and thus have forgotten to mention consideration for the ladies. Thanks.
JOHN P. HERRMANN.

CLOUDING THE CANAL ISSUE.

Professional Irish patriots cloud the canal tolls issue when they oppose repeal because England asks it.

Stand-pat protective tariff papers, the Globe-Democrat for instance, do it when they allege in editorial and cartoon that repeal is sought because President Wilson fears Japan.

Reactionary Democrats do it when they argue that exemption is a platform demand, and that repeal of exemption would be a breach of party faith.

These are the plain facts—known to all the elements that willfully, for partisan or pecuniary reasons, attempt to cloud them with misrepresentations:

1. The exemption of American coastwise shipping from payment of Panama Canal tolls is a subsidy, estimated to be worth more than \$1,000,000 a year to the Shipping Trust which controls the ships in that trade.

2. The American ships not engaged in coastwise trade are not granted any exemption; they and all other vessels of every kind and nationality, excepting only the Shipping Trust's coastwise ships, are required to pay a reasonable fee for the use of the canal.

3. The American people have spent \$400,000,000 building the canal, and must spend \$12,000,000 a year operating and defending it. The people have a right to charge all who use their canal a fair fee, so that its earnings may pay operating costs, and if possible pay off the construction bonds.

4. To grant one citizen, or one group of citizens, free use of the canal, while charging all others, is rank favoritism, otherwise graft, like the granting of a free pass or a rebate.

5. The Shipping Trust has no more license to ask for a free pass through the Panama Canal than it has to ask for free transportation of its goods across the Isthmus on the people's Panama Railroad, or free transmission of its letters through the United States mails.

All that England asks—and in this England speaks for all other nations—is that the United States Government shall keep its solemn treaty promise to treat all vessels using the canal exactly alike. The other nations know that if we let the American coastwise Shipping Trust use the canal free to the extent of a million a year, we shall undoubtedly try to charge the rest of the ships that use it a rate high enough to make up that loss.

When President Wilson put his plea for repeal on high patriotic grounds he was giving Democrats like Oscar Underwood, who voted for the subsidy when it got into the canal law, a chance to reverse themselves gracefully and get back into line with their party's historic policy of opposition to all subsidies. If they fail to take advantage of that opportunity; if they stubbornly stand pat for the subsidy to the Shipping Trust, they will have to answer to their Democratic constituents at home for preferring the doctrine of Mark Hanna over that of Thomas Jefferson.

AMEND THE LOOP FRANCHISE.

When Councilman Haller tonight calls out the bill amending the Southern Traction loop franchise the Council should pass it. That would be one step towards clearing away the last obstacle to bridge completion.

The House of Delegates, which has a similar bill pending, should pass the Council bill. Both houses should act promptly on the bill so manifestly desirable as a means of assuring the success of any bridge bond proposal.

As a precaution against obstruction in the Municipal Assembly the Citizens' Committee should include in its initiative petition a proposal to submit a bill repealing or amending the loop franchise.

The bridge must be completed. Nothing should be permitted to stand in the way of this work.

IS IT A BUM SHOW?

"All the world's a stage; we are the actors—and it's a bum show."

Such is the conclusion of a suicide, who leaves it to us in a note. In the Shakespearean production of life, so to speak, to which the deceased so pathetically alludes, we infer that he played the part of supe—and did it but indifferently well. Probably that was his whole trouble.

Supe is the most difficult role of all and that is what the vast majority of us have to play. Most of us fancy that nature has designed us for something higher. Vanity impels many of us to aspire to the speaking parts of which there are so few. But any of us makes a mistake who thinks that the role of supe is not worth doing well. It is worth the very best that is in any man.

NOT ON THE I. W. W. MAP.

While the cities on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of the United States are seething with the revolutionary movement represented by the Industrial Workers of the World, churches being invaded in New York, and "armies" on the move in California, St. Louis does not appear to be on the I. W. W. map.

Probably the reason why St. Louis' unemployed are not considered good material for the revolutionary political propaganda of the I. W. W. is that St. Louis has during the past winter tried to deal humanely with its unemployed. A few mistaken persons have advocated harsh measures, such as driving all the homeless men out of the city. But, on the whole, there has been a sincere and gratifying attempt to treat these men as human beings, most of whom are merely victims of industrial conditions over which they have no control. This attitude appears to be justified.

INTERNATIONAL GRAVE-ROBBERING.

If the Texans who crossed the Rio Grande and recovered the remains of their murdered fellow Texan, Clemente Vergara, were private citizens, the incident seems to involve little more than a violation of any local regulations Hidalgo, Mexico, may have governing the exhuming of the dead. If, however, they were Texas Rangers or other officers or employees of the State, and particularly if their invasion was undertaken with the complicity or knowledge of Gov. Colquitt, their act is a serious indiscretion.

the river should not have been attempted without the approval and co-operation of Washington. Gov. Colquitt should clear up any suspicion that may exist as to Austin's complicity in the affair. Even a party made up of unofficial persons might have caused serious consequences, had resistance been encountered. Smaller things than the violation of a municipal cemetery ordinance have led to war.

"Aida," written for the opening of the Suez Canal, will be revived in St. Louis this spring. Unfortunately, no prospect exists for the composition of an operatic work of equal merit in honor of the opening of our own canal.

THE FIRE TRAP WORKED.

Evidence is accumulating that the M. A. C. building was known to be a fire trap and wholly unfit for the purposes of the club.

Former Building Commissioner Smith testifies to his having warned and summoned the club's Board of Governors several times. It was known that one of the fire escapes was so placed that it was useless. The secretary of the club is quoted as saying that the danger of a holocaust was a subject of conversation among members shortly before the fire.

The calamity that was dreaded, that known conditions made possible, has come. In the horror of death there is a keen sense of that responsibility which should have been kept enough in advance of the event to have averted it. The men on the Board of Governors who refused to heed the warnings of danger are not only to be condemned—they are to be pitied.

There was lack of efficient action at every point. The Board of Governors was derelict in refusing to heed warnings and to act upon recognized facts. City officials were derelict in not persisting in the enforcement of regulations.

The past cannot be mended, but safeguards can be taken for the future. How many other buildings used for lodgings are in similar condition? What about the theaters and the multiplying picture shows? Every precaution of safety should be enforced. The lesson of the fire, with its terrible destruction of life, should not be lost.

Fourteen billion telephone calls were made in this country last year, a large percentage of them by the family that shares the service of your party line.

MUNICIPAL BARNACLES.

How many barnacles are there in the city hall? How much is the payroll padded by spoils-men who are either incompetent or unnecessary?

How much unnecessary expense is saddled on the city by the complicated system and loose methods of old-fashioned political government? These questions are suggested by recent revelations concerning irregularities in the payroll and excess of expense and duplication of officers in several departments.

Shoeing a mule four times in two days and an allowance of several inspectors to one workman indicates that efficiency and economy in organization and inspection are sadly lacking in the city government.

Padding payrolls and multiplying departments and offices are the favorite occupations of party spokesmen in public office. City governments of the old, complicated, cumbersome political form which have been under party control are curiously ingenious waste.

The conditions existing in the city hall offer overwhelming arguments in favor of simplified government and efficient business management with the substitution of the merit for the spoils system.

LOCAL OPTION HOME RULE.

If the home rule principle's origin cannot be claimed for America, it has at least had its greatest development in this country. Premier Asquith in dealing with Ireland combines an American brand of home rule with the distinctively American idea of local option. Any county in Ulster is given the peaceful alternative of a referendum to decide whether or not it will come in under the home rule measure.

If the device avails to pacify Ulster, which only proclaims that it is right and that it will fight, why cannot it be utilized to pacify the suffragettes, who also announce that they are right and who are already fighting?

A PAGEANT OF HEROISM.

A story of heroism in which many had praised-worthy roles began with the very first discovery of the deplorable fire in the Missouri Athletic Club Building. Night operator Norman Rowe rang the telephone twice in 98 rooms and remained at his post to give notification of the danger as fast as awakened guests answered his call. Night Clerk Jack Reisinger shared in this effort to rouse lodgers through which dozens were given a chance for their lives.

More trying was the rescue work in which a woman, Mrs. Robert C. Magill, wife of the club manager, showed presence of mind and courage in the very face of the flames that swept almost instantly through the upper floors. Her own peril had become acute before she desisted from co-operation with her husband in rousing sound sleepers indifferent to the electric alarm. Inspiring to read among the tragic details of death is the account which D. C. Holmes, practically helpless from injuries in a railroad accident, gives of his rescue. St. Louisans will hope that he was not saved at the sacrifice of the brave man who carried him in his arms to three fire escapes in turn and to the useless elevator shaft and who, when a rope of sheets was made, insisted that he should be lowered first to an adjacent roof.

House Committee member Walter Fritsch, Engineer W. T. Hawkins and other club members and employees have earned places on the roll of honor along with many firemen who showed coolness and ready wit in rescue. The full record forms a veritable pageant of heroism that relieves the somberness of the most distressing fire tragedy in St. Louis in many years.



THE BUILDING INSPECTOR.

JUST A MINUTE.

Written for the Post-Dispatch by Clark McAdams.



SOCRATES ON PEACE.

LAST night I went over to hear Angelus, the peace advocate. He says we shall not have any more wars between big nations; that they have become economically impossible, and it is time people realized it and desisted. He stuck to the economic point of view, and was so persuasive that he finally got us all around to it. You can have no idea how peaceful everything looked from that cold of vantage. It seemed that nobody could think of fighting any more. So much money would be lost and so many interlocking business relations would be thrown into disorder that one's business sense would serve as a restraint, even if one were insensible to any other humane or Christian consideration. It is a trick that Angelus has, and a good one. Once under the spell of his somewhat ingenious ideas, one wonders what the Powers can be thinking of.

After Angelus finished, some of those who had been lured by the speaker's ingenuity from points of view which they could not help feeling were better than his, asked me to reply to him. I hesitated to do so, for the prospect as painted by Angelus was fair, and it seemed a mean thing to begin throwing stones at it. However, he started it, so I did answer him. I said that so far as I knew war had usually been economically impossible. Few countries have ever made any money at it, and those bankers who Angelus thinks would prevent any of the great nations from fighting again have never been happy to see business suspended and property destroyed while two great nations settled some issue between them. I urged everybody to return to the point of view of human nature, from which religion, race prejudice and goodness knows what have at different times in the history of the world completely overshadowed business and everything else. I asked those present if they did not think Angelus was relying too much upon an altogether new state of affairs as upon an altogether new kind of man. They said they did think so, and everybody had a good laugh, including Angelus.

The Old-Timer Becomes Specific.

"If all the snow that has fallen in Fayette in the last 20 years remained on the ground, the town would be buried. An aggregate of 20 feet of snow has fallen since 1886. Thirty-five per cent of this snow has fallen in February. The biggest fall for any one month, however, was 25.50 inches in March, 1912. The largest snowfall in one day was 16 inches, Feb. 12, 1894. The records were kept by Prof. F. Berry Smith of Central College, who possesses a positive genius for doing such interesting things." Fayette Democrat-Leader.

High Sucker Birth Rate.

From the Sedalia Democrat.
Now is the time for the division of some of the mythical billion-dollar estates in England. "Easy marks" will please sit up and take notice.

Officially Verified.

From the Washington Post.
No small excitement has followed the official announcement that Pancho Villa's victim is still dead.

SLAVERY IN THE PHILIPPINES.

From the Philadelphia Ledger.

The Philippine Legislature adjourned Saturday, one of its last acts being a reply to the charge of Dean C. Worcester and others that slavery exists in the islands. Investigation shows, it declares, that slavery does not exist "in a legal sense."

Dean Worcester's charge was not general in its nature. It was explicit, it went into details, it recounted cases, it presented evidence, it exoriated the Legislature itself for its laborious effort to worm out of the situation. The answer of that body, therefore, is lamentably weak. The United States does not care whether the slavery exists in legal form or not; it wants to know whether it exists in any form whatever.

Dean Worcester cannot be discredited so easily. His integrity makes it imperative that Washington undertake an investigation, should be bipartisan and conducted by a commission of such high standing that its verdict would be convincing. The Philippine Legislature cannot exculpate itself. Before the United States goes further in its plans for granting independence to the islands, it must be established beyond all doubt that the islands are not engaged in systematic exploitation of the tribesmen through the buying and selling of them.

REVIVAL OF BIG SAILING SHIPS.

From the Scientific American.

The development of the heavy oil engine bids fair to bring about a revival of the big square-rigged sailing ship. The latest of this type is a truly magnificent vessel, the France, launched by the Chantiers de la Gironde at Bordeaux. She is 430 feet long, 55-2-3 feet beam and draws 24 feet when loaded to a displacement of 10,650 tons. Her auxiliaries consist of twin Schneider-Carrel oil engines of 925-horsepower, which drive the ship at a speed of 19½ knots. The fuel consumption on the brake test being 0.45 pound per brake horsepower per hour. Her lines are finer than those of the ordinary tramp steamer, and under sail alone she should be capable in a whole-sail breeze of making 15 knots.

OHIO DOG STATISTICS.

From the Gallipolis Tribune.
There are 226,383 officially recognized dogs in Ohio—dogs on which their owners have paid taxes. Perhaps there are 1,000,000 "stray" pups also at large in the State, whose owners were forgetful when they made out their tax returns. There are 41,000 square miles of territory in Ohio, and we think it no exaggeration to say that there are at least 20 dogs to every square mile, and possibly 60. But at 20 the total would be \$2,260, nearly twice the number listed. The number of female dogs returned is only one-sixth that of the males, which might be attributed to the fact that the tax on females is twice that on males.

One Idea of Monotony.

From the Sedalia (Mo.) Democrat.
Mexican "news" appearing in the papers these days, hashed and reheated, is getting about as monotonous as voting for Hamlin for Congress every two years.

Baseball Majors.

From the Arkansas Gazette.
Now there is talk in ball circles of a fourth major league. If this thing keeps up majors in the baseball world will be as numerous as Colonels in Kentucky.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

MINNIE—Readers are weary of the salts and soap formula. See it at this office.

V. M. T. S.—Surgical operation to straighten nose is not dangerous if the operator is an expert.

O. K.—Cocoon leather is applied to produce plumpness. Some cause it of causing hair growth.

AGRICOLA—A writer on flesh reduction says: Above all, eat less of what you are eating now. That is a safe general rule. For the best results and the quickest results it is well to select something to which the system is not accustomed, something upon which you have not been gaining weight. If you are in the habit of eating a great deal of meat and have gained on it, try vegetables. If you have been a vegetarian, try meat, but beware of too much red meat. See that you have a frequent change. At the same time try the wise experiment of limiting the amount of food, even to the extent of cutting the number of your meals down from three to two. A glass of buttermilk will make a satisfactory substitute for one of the meals. We all know that we eat too much. We need limitation in amount as in kind.

HEALTH HINTS.

MAE—(Correction.) In your answer of the 9th, for proper circulation read poor circulation.

LAW POINTS.

W.—Anybody may write a will, but everybody cannot write in accordance with law. Lawyer or capable notary may write a will. Lawyer may charge \$10, \$50, or more.

A. J. R.—The lady running rooming or furnished-room house for light housekeeping has right to run it in her own way, and if not to your liking you are privileged to seek quarters elsewhere. The stand she has taken against the male callers is probably a wise one.

T. L.—From the facts as given, and as the case now stands, the estate passes to you and brothers and sisters, as the case may be, and your mother is barred. Had divorce been granted to your mother, her dower in the real estate would not thereby have been barred, but by such, and the fault being hers, it is.

BOBBY—For English estates in chancery write Assistant General Paymaster General, Royal Courts of Justice, London. (Doctors' Commons, the College of Doctors of Civil Law in London (1753-1857), also buildings occupied by them, where a registry of wills was kept and the Admiralty and various other courts were held.)

CONSTANT—(Ill.) Where a man is employed by the month he is entitled to hold his position until the end of the month, and to be paid for that period. Cases might arise where the employer would be justified in discharging an employee during the month and refusing him pay, but this would be a rare situation. Employers may sue or he may employ a collection agency.

F. K.—You can sue for the balance due, and being a note, same is good for 10 years from date of last partial payment. As he hasn't anything, you could try garnishing his salary, but such a suit as a rule brings no good results. To try to force payment by suit for the couple of dollars he owes you is foolish and if you are wise you will drop such contemplated action.

WONDERFUL IVORY.

DISPUTANTS—One of the novel uses to which potatoes are put consists in cutting off the outer layers, after which the center is compressed into blocks. This is then carved into various shapes and sold as ivory. It is said that a good ivory is worth 10 times as much as a carved potato. It is a native of South America. The hard ripened potato is as valuable as a substitute for animal ivory. The tusks of the long buried mammoth found on the shores of Arctic Siberia are now being used to make piano keys, billiard balls and many ornaments for use in the United States. This enterprise is due to the vanishing supply of the world's ivory and the wholesale destruction of the African elephants, the tusks of which have hitherto furnished the greatest quantities of ivory.

MISCELLANEOUS.

JOHN—Mch. 13, 1861, Wednesday.

WIDOW—We do not advise as to investments.

STEADY READER FOR YEARS—Phone a veterinarian.

VERA—Place sachet powder in your box of stationery.

MRS M. S.—You might try referring the matter to the Chicago post-office.

THANKFUL—Art store will give you all facts as to bribe board and pens.

R. C.—Fresh news matter always crowds out matter published in early editions.

L. W.—Wife's brother's wife may be called sister-in-law. Are not your wife's brother and his wife one and the same?

GRAMMARIAN—None of these goods have arrived, would be correct. See Answers to Queries.

ROY—Varnish remover will remove varnish from your violin. It may then be revarnished with seed lac or amber varnish.

TO ALL READERS—We do not undertake to answer by mail or telephone, we having no information bureau.

F. E.—It is not elegant manners to greet a parent with "Hello, father!" but possibly the fond parent doesn't worry about it.

PAULINE—If you have been to his office every day to see him, it would not be strange if he loves you less than you love him.

HARRIS—The best way to open a theater is to give a talking performance. If a welcome is expected to be made it should be brief and bright. Souvenirs, if catchy, aid in advertising. We have no time to write speeches.

WALTER—Soldering aluminum. Aluminum, 8 parts; pure zinc, 92 parts. Aluminum melted first, zinc added gradually, finally add some fat, stir with iron rod, and pour into molds. For flux, use copal balsam, 2 parts; Venice turpentine, 1 part; and a few drops of lemon juice. Dip soldering iron into same flux.

R. L.—We don't know origin of surname Ruby. It may be that the original Ruby was a Jew. Rubyson, with Casas, or he may have had to do with precious stones. Or he may have been of a ruddy complexion. Or, perhaps, the name comes from the Hebrew, Reuben, which means, "Be-hold, a son."

READER—School day at Missouri University is not opened by prayer or in any other formal way. Students simply go to classes at the appointed hours. There is a daily assembly at 10 o'clock, but attendance at it is not compulsory. It is not a religious service. Prayers at convocations of students are offered by clergymen of all denominations. The university is rigidly non-sectarian and is attended by Catholics, Jews and Protestants of all denominations.

W. T. K.—Paper mache. Make old paper into a pulp by shredding it, adding lime or lime water and a little gum distillate to the pulp. Press out the water with lined oil and bake at high temperature; finally varnish. The pulp is sometimes mixed with sawdust, or chalk, etc.; other kinds are made of a paste of pulp and recently slaked lime. This is used for ornamental wood. Paper mache tea trays, waiters, snuff boxes, etc., are proper. The finished articles are glued together and submitted to the most powerful pressure. After drying these articles are varnished and are then waterproof.

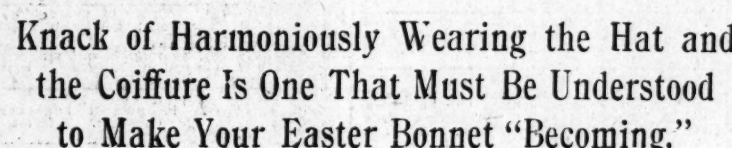
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Dr. M. J. J. J.

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Sandman Story of an Obliging Whale and a Princess Whom a Prince Rescued

By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

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had cause to weep again, for the Princess made him a good little wife.
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"Radium banks" have been established in a few European cities.

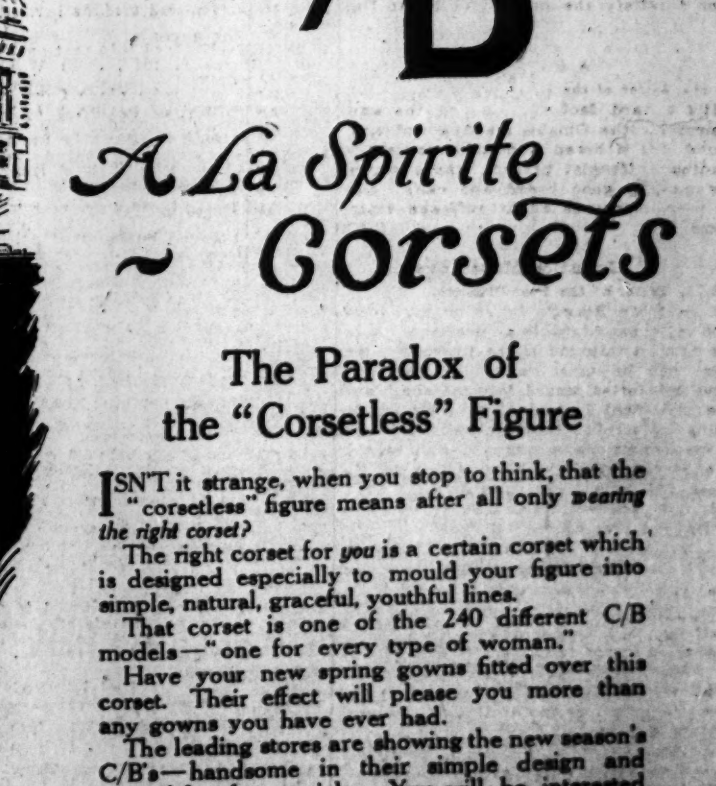
**The Standard Everyw
for the
Woman of Fashion**

By Dale Drummond

before me. I wanted everything I saw, and Jack often humored me by giving me things he could ill afford. His friends had been most kind and cordial to me, and we gradually became

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The Widow's Might

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By Thomas L. Masson.

"HE is a designing woman!" Mrs. Whittier had just arrived from Boston, whither she had been on a visit to her sister, and was seated with her husband in a restaurant, preliminary to going home. Her remark referred to a certain widow, a dashing Mrs. Ganson.

"What do you suppose I heard?" she said, continuing. "She actually has it in mind to introduce Adelaide to some young fellow named Merit—he's one of her set, you know. I got it all in Boston, in a letter to a friend of hers. She has been crazy for Adelaide to visit her, and I know now what it was for. She is a born match-maker—most widows are. Think of the influence an experienced woman like that would have over a young girl like Adelaide! It makes me shudder! By the way, how is Adelaide?"

"Oh, I guess she's all right," said Whittier, the mention of his daughter's name causing him to wince slightly. "She is visiting her Aunt Jane."

Mrs. Whittier looked at her husband sharply. She had instincts.

"Um! Rather strange that she should have taken that notion, especially when I was away. How long is she going to stay?"

Whittier wasn't an old and experienced husband for nothing.

"Don't quite know," he said vaguely, sparing for time. "Maybe a week, maybe a day. Oh, say! Speaking of visits, I have to go to Chicago—sudden business."

"Well," she said, "it's very strange. I come home, and you both leave—gone, the other going."

Whittier smiled sadly.

"Such is human life," he replied. "We are here today and gone tomorrow!"

As to the manner in which he should approach the widow in her Georgia home—a process rendered absolutely necessary in view of the occasion—Whittier had no very clear idea. He hadn't announced his coming. He had just taken the train.

As he stepped upon Mrs. Ganson's beautiful piazza, however, she came forward smiling, as if she had really expected him. Such is the way of all widows. No man ever takes them unawares.

"You dear man! This is awfully good of you! Just in time for dinner. You don't have to dress—really, you don't! And how is dear Mrs. Whittier?" She leaned over and whispered, "Adelaide is such a love. She has just come in with Mr. Merit. Charming fellow! I have taken so much trouble to bring them together!"

"My wife doesn't approve of Mr. Merit," said Whittier bluntly.

Mrs. Ganson went up to him and put both of her lovely white hands caressingly on his shoulders.

"You dear thing!" she whispered caressingly. "I understand perfectly. She was away. You told Adelaide she could come. I'll venture to say Mrs. Whittier doesn't know, even yet. Was I right? Ah, you wretched, timid man—always deceiving your wives! Jack used to do it and I loved him for it. What did you tell her? Let me guess? You told her Adelaide went somewhere else? There, I knew it! And now you are afraid to face her, and you have hurried down here, without your wife knowing it, to take the girl back. Never mind! We shall have some dinner, and talk it over."

Mrs. Ganson's dinner was perfect. "Go in and talk to Adelaide," she told Merit, after it was over. "I want to have a chat with this dear old friend."

As a matter of fact, she had met Whittier just twice in her life.

"Now, you want me to help you out, don't you?" she said cheerily. "And I am going to do it. We must bring Mrs. Whittier over, that's all. Now, Harry Merit is just the boy for Adelaide. Splendid fellow. Now, isn't he a nice, clean, handsome chap? Why, my dear

friend, they were just born for each other."

Whittier shook his head. At this point, after such a dinner, he was ready to believe almost anything. Mrs. Ganson told him; but the thought of his wife sobered him, even at that distance. He turned to Mrs. Ganson like a drowning man.

"I deceived her," he said. "I told her that Adelaide was on a visit to her Aunt Jane, and I hurried down here to take her back!"

"To Aunt Jane's? Oh, you arch one! And then you thought you could bring Adelaide around and get her to back you up. My dear man, you have forgotten love, the most powerful thing in the world. These two young people have been together nearly a week."

"But what shall I do?"

"Do! Treat it as if you approved from the start. Let the lady know. She will get over it, and by and by she will bless you for giving her such a son-in-law."

At this moment there was a confused sound from the other room. Voices, and among them—oh, awful thought!—came a strain that struck instant terror to the heart of Whittier.

Preceded by the widow, he hurried into the other room. On the threshold stood Mrs. Whittier.

"When did you come?" gasped her petrified husband.

"I came as soon as I could get here," replied his wife, calm and dignified in her passion. "I must have taken the next train after yours. I suspected you from the start. Aunt Jane—um! I telegraphed her, and found out that Adelaide wasn't there. Then I learned from your office that you didn't think I would inquire, did you? Why, I knew you weren't telling me the truth, Chicago! Ha! Well, here I am!"

Mrs. Ganson advanced. Her face had taken on a becoming seriousness.

"Permit me to present Mr. Merit," Mrs. Whittier then said to her husband. She was a mother with feelings, but she was also a woman of breeding.

"You see, Mr. Merit," she said, "this is an affair strictly between myself and Mrs. Ganson."

"And," said Whittier, who, although a coward up to a certain point, was now fully aroused for the coming battle.

Merit withdrew. Mrs. Whittier turned to Mrs. Ganson.

"What do you mean," she began, "by taking my daughter away from me, and deliberately—"

"Hold on!"

It was Whittier who spoke, and there was a certain look in his eyes which experience had taught Mrs. Whittier to respect. It meant business.

"I did it," he said quietly. "I told Adelaide she could come. If she is such a wishy-washy girl as not to know her mind by this time, then her education and home training have been of no value. I like this young fellow, and I am glad that they have fallen in love with each other. I was wrong in deceiving you, but I am prepared to see this thing through, and delighted to think these young people have met through the kindness of our dear friend here. I am the girl's father, and I will take all the consequences. Now, my dear, what have you got to say?"

Mrs. Whittier gazed at him silently for an instant. Then she sank into a chair and buried her face in her hands.

"I don't mind being deceived," she sobbed. "I am used to that, but I think it is horrid of both of you."

"But why, dear?" asked Mrs. Ganson sobbingly.

"Because," replied Mrs. Whittier, "if this marriage turns out well, I won't get the slightest particle of credit for it!"

Tango Trouserettes, Brimless Hats, Harem Veils—Spring Is Coming.

Discussion and Description of Some New Style Fancies, Written by an Expert for the Post-Dispatch.



Knack of Harmoniously Wearing the Hat and the Coiffure Is One That Must Be Understood to Make Your Easter Bonnet "Becoming."

must be credited with the success of the hat, since, strange as it may sound, a hat must become the hair as well as the face. Very efficacious in aiding this achievement is the clever touch of artificial hair—not the barbaric quantity which a few years ago menaced health and marred good looks, but the artistic little piece which brings out the beauty of the face.

By Mile. Lodewick.

A eighth of an inch on the brim of a hat is often as much too much as the previously added inch on the end of a nose. But how many women realize this fact? Few do.

Indeed there are who view a hat from all angles. If it becomes the face it usually matters not whether it comes the side or back. However, the new tilt of the hat which reveals most of the coiffure absolutely demands more consideration of all details of the head, including the coiffure and the veil.

In reality there are not more details, for oftentimes it is the coiffure which

The center figure shows a charming model which boasts only an inch-wide brim, which is widened in effect by the upturned soft curling flues of black tulle.

With this hat I have shown the latest exploitation in veils. We must call it a harem veil. It is not the one that manufacturers tried to launch in August, but a veil that really hides the lower part of the face. After seeing this veil it is easily realized why the veil last August was not a success. It was too transparent and in its all-over design looked very much like any other veil.

It lacked cachet. Not so the new veil. As seen by the sketch, this one is embroidered only on the lower portion, serving as other veils have, to shield the nose from the wind and sun, but it is a bit more practical, inasmuch as the upper portion is of a sheer, fine mesh which will not menace the eyesight.

With these veils patches will be worn at the corner of the eye instead of at the corner of the mouth or close to the lip. That fashion follows the episode of the moment is well attested in this latest innovation, arising from the dance mania that rages from sunrise to sunset—the "tango trouserette." And why not? For can it be denied that they are more modest than the knee-depth slit of the scant dance frock? The little dainty outfit shown at the right has an odd upper portion in straight lines, suggestive of the moen-age styles. Of crystal embroidered net, it has a round neck and no sleeves, being clasped on the shoulders with buckles.

However, the bare arms are partially draped with a tulle scarf which surrounds the shoulders and is wound twice over the arms, to be secured by a black velvet band on each wrist. The ends dropping below form a graceful drapery in the way of the dance. Very distinctive for trimming this upper portion of the costume, which extends to just below the hip line, are the heavy beaded tassels on either side, whose weight cannot help serving a valuable purpose of holding this portion in place. Rhinestone or narrow bead trimming outlines the ankle openings of the ivory satin trouserettes, and corresponds charmingly with the richness of the beaded upper part.

laughed like anyone else, but he never had cause to weep again, for the Princess made him a good little wife.

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ANOTHER SANDMAN STORY WILL BE PUBLISHED TOMORROW.

Even the best mirror doesn't enable a person to see himself as others see him.

Straight From the Shoulder

Success Talks to Young Men.

ENTHUSIASM.

THE thing you want to do is the thing you do well. Ever notice how you instinctively hang back from tackling the jobs that are distasteful to you? Ever notice how you have to drive yourself to do the things which don't respond to your natural inclinations?

Well, then, just how near the 100 per cent mark is your efficiency when, in the course of your daily business duties, you let the irksome tasks slow up your speed?

Of course you can't like all features of your work equally well. Some things which you must do are bound to appear to you less pleasantly than others. But there's a way around the problem.

And that way is this: Feed your enthusiasm, stoke it up, raise the pressure for your work as a whole. Get enthusiastic over your JOB. Look upon each detail as a part of it, not as a separate factor. Then your greater, broader enthusiasm will carry you full speed over the unpleasant places. Your momentum will carry you along. Don't say to yourself when you come to the irksome duty, "This is mean work." Say, rather, "This is a necessary part of my JOB!" And tackle it for the good of the whole.

You think "it can't be done?" Nonsense! Try it. It CAN be done, as every truly successful man before you has proved. If you can't accomplish it in any other way, try the attitude of tackling it for the pleasure that will be yours when it is out of the way. What ever your system, DO IT!

Whom good fortune makes conceited doesn't deserve it.—Albany Journal.

Acid Stomachs Are Dangerous

Common Sense Advice by a Distinguished Specialist.

Acid stomachs are dangerous because acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach, thus hindering and preventing the proper action of the stomach, and leading to probably nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble from which people suffer. Ordinary medicines and medicinal treatments are useless in such cases, for they leave the source of trouble (the acid in the stomach) as dangerous as ever. The acid must be neutralized, and its formation prevented, and the best thing for this purpose is a teaspoonful of blaud's magnesia, a simple antacid, taken in a little warm or cold water. Foods which which acidity is developed. Foods which ordinarily cause greatest distress may be eaten with impunity if the meal is followed with a little blaud's magnesia, which can be obtained from any druggist, and should always be kept handy.—ADV.

The Laughing Prince

(Continued.)

Sandman Story of an Obliging Whale and a Princess Whom a Prince Rescued.

By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

I happened that just as the ship capsize a whale was passing and the whole party landed right on his back.

"This really an unexpected pleasure," said the whale, for whaler talked in those days. "Where do you wish to go? If I can be of any assistance I shall be most happy to serve you."

"We wish to go to the opposite bank of the river," said the King, "to find the square mountain."

The Prince was still weeping and the tears fell on the back of the whale.

"What is that tickling my back?" asked the whale, almost upsetting the whole party as he squirmed about.

"It is my son weeping," answered the King, "it is for his sake we are going to the square mountain. I am hoping he may be able to wash it away with his tears and find the sleeping Princess who is inside."

"He will have to cry into the water," said the whale. "I just cannot stand those tears falling on my back; I'm so ticklish."

So the King held the Prince over the side of the whale and he carried them to the other side of the river.

There they found the square mountain as the dwarf had told.

The King hurried the Prince to it and they climbed to the top. Soon the mountain began to dissolve, and after a while it disappeared, leaving the King and the Prince standing on the ground beside a deep hole.

The Prince had stopped crying by this time, his tears were all gone, and he and the King descended into the hole by the aid of stones which projected from the side. At the bottom of the hole they found a door which the Prince pushed open, and there on a couch they saw a beautiful girl asleep.

The King remained by the door, but the Prince went into the room and walked to the sleeping girl and touched her hand.

She opened her eyes and smiled.

"Have you come for me?" she asked.

"My son has," answered the King, for the Prince was so overcome with her beauty that he could not reply.

"He wished to make you his bride," continued the King. "He is a Prince, and we want to take you away from here. Will you come?"

"I was told in my dream that you would come," replied the Princess. "I have been asleep a long time, and I shall be glad to go away with you."

When they reached the top of the hole the King remembered that the ship had been lost, and he wondered how they would get back to the palace, but the whale was waiting for them.

"There is always room for one more," he remarked, when the King told him they had found the Princess.

On the way back the King related the story of the Prince and how he had first laughed all the time, and then the old man had stopped him and left him weeping.

"But, how did he make you weep?" asked the Princess.

No one had thought to ask the Prince that question after the old man had refused to tell.

"While I was laughing," said the Prince, "the old man rubbed my eyes with something he called onion. It looked like an apple, but it made me weep, and I could not stop."

"I am glad you couldn't," said the Princess; "at least, not until you had found me, or I should have been sleeping yet."

The King gave the whale an ocean all to himself for bringing them safe home, and the whale was very much pleased.

"Now, I will have room to turn around," he said, "and I can flap my tail without hearing some fish say: 'Oh, that horrid, clumsy fellow; he takes all the room in the ocean in which to turn about.'"

The Prince and the Princess were married and lived happily, and the Prince

St. Louis Woman Tells Why She Is Glad to Pay Her Income Tax

WHILE many persons in St. Louis affected by the recently levied income tax consider it unjust and burdensome, here is one woman, Mrs. Anna M. McLaren, of 4335 Lindell boulevard, who made a return, who believes in the eminent fairness and justice of the taxation. Mrs. McLaren is the widow of Charles McLaren, and although well advanced in her eighties and living a life of quiet retirement, still maintains a firm grasp upon contemporary events. Following are some of her views on the income tax:

I THINK the income tax one of the best sources for raising revenue for the Government that has been devised in late years. It is most equitable and just and falls upon the people—commonly regarded as the "privileged class"—who are best able to stand it.

As you doubtless know, the Government has taken off a great deal of the tariff on certain articles, and it is to

Good Eating at Low Cost

We eat far too much meat. We eat meat to excess under the mistaken idea that it is necessary to nourish our bodies, while we continually pass up foodstuffs that (weight for weight) contain more nutriment and cost considerably less than meat.

Take Faust Macaroni for instance. A 10c package of this macaroni contains as much nutriment as four pounds of beef, and has another big advantage, too, in that it is much easier digested.

And consider the many savory appetizing dishes that can be made from Faust Macaroni. Write for free recipe book today. Your grocer sells Faust Macaroni—5c and 10c packages. Buy today.

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St. Louis Missouri

Chapters From a Woman's Life

Intimate Story of One Young Wife's Joys and Disappointments.

By Dale Drummond.

This series of articles forms a remarkable human document, setting forth in a wholly new way the joys and sorrows, vicissitudes and mistakes, of modern married life. It is a series that will come close to the heart of every wife. Another article will be printed later in the week.

WE were very young when we were married. Jack and I, very young, very foolish, and at first very, very happy.

Like all the true life stories, mine is but the waste of many trivial incidents—tragedy and comedy, tears and laughter, sunshine and shadow.

How could I imagine that I, loving him, was to be in his life a nemesis, absorbing all that was dependable in him; coming between him and every good thing he might have compassed or which but for me might have been his?

I have lived in a small mid-Western town, and met the man who was to be my husband at a social gathering we both attended at the home of one of his relatives. It was soon after his graduation, for Jack was a college man.

We took an apartment of five tiny rooms in the West End and went to work. Jack had boarded and unboarded until we were married and disliked it. The rent of the rooms, two flights of stairs, was \$5. To me it appeared exorbitant. In High Falls we could rent a detached house with a yard and garden for \$10 or \$12 a month. But when Jack explained about the "steam heat, our nearness to the street cars and the other conveniences unknown in our little town, it didn't seem quite so bad.

Our wedding presents, which from my people had been sober, sensible, useful ones, nearly furnished the apartment. The gifts from Jack's relatives, silver vases, clocks and a handsome rug for our living room, gave the needed touch of elegance, so that when we were settled it was cozy and comfortable. Best of all, we still had \$20 left of the \$500 Jack had saved to commence housekeeping with.

From the first I was utterly fascinated with the entirely new life opening up before me. I wanted everything I saw, and Jack often humored me by giving me things he could ill afford.

His friends had been most kind and cordial to me, and we gradually became

members of a little coterie of young married people all practically in our own circumstances. We had many gay little parties, playing bridge twice a week for infinitesimal sums. Sometimes we went to cheap theaters and restaurants, but oftener gave rarebit parties at home, using our chafing dish set of which I was very proud. As I look back I wonder if any one was ever so happy as I was in those first few months of my married life.

About six months after we were married we made Jack's people our first visit. His father was dead and his widowed mother and a younger sister lived with an older daughter who had married "extremely well"—as Jack's mother took pains to tell me—making me turn quite pale and red with the feeling that I was in some way to blame for not having money so that her "boy" (whom, by the way, she adored) had not also married "extremely well."

Then there was another thing that quite embarrassed me with that short visit to Janet Amesbury—Jack's sister. That was my clothes. Janet was very stylish and wore exquisite things.

However, they were kind to me in a sort of patronizing way, which, instead of making me humble, as I imagined, they thought it would, made me determined to some day show them that I was just as good looking as haughty Janet Amesbury. That if I had clothes—and I then and there determined to have them at any cost—could make as good an impression as Jack's sisters could.

When Jack came up to bed about an hour after I had excused myself on the plea of headache, he found me gazing in the big mirror on the dressing table.

"Taking account of stock, Giffie?" he asked.

"You've struck it, Jack!" I replied. "I hit the nail on the head," as father says. I AM taking account of stock."

"Well, are you satisfied?" He pulled my head back as he spoke and kissed me on the tip of my tip-tilted nose. A trick he had.

"Satisfied with the stock, yes. With the way it is displayed, NO!" I returned.

Just then Annette tapped on the door, offering to help me pack my things, as we were leaving in the morning—an offer I refused, as I did not care to have Jack's sister see my plain and simple underwear.

Betty Vincent's Advice to Lovers

When He Won't Call.

NO GIRL should accept the attentions of a young man whom she cannot introduce to her mother.

If he prefers to meet her on street corners, if he shows unwillingness to meet her parents, he is not the sort of person whom she should know.

It doesn't matter what reasons he adduces for his hesitation, for the secrecy of their acquaintance. Nothing makes right such a course, which is absolutely unfair to the girl and may be most unsafe.

A girl is justified in being instantly suspicious if a man friend of hers objects to letting the whole of their world know of their friendship.

A false glamour of romance should not blind young women to the necessity of keeping their relations with the other sex not only innocent but open and aboveboard.

"X. Z." writes: "I am very fond of a certain young man who bows to me whenever he sees me. How am I to find out if he loves me?"

You must wait for him to give some evidence of the fact.

Irene writes: Not very long ago I met a boy and I liked him very much. He asked me to write to him. Would it be proper for me to do so? How should I address him in the letter?"

It would be proper to write to him. Address him "My Dear Mr. Jones."

ISN'T it strange, when you stop to think, that the "corsetless" figure means after all only wearing the right corset?

The right corset for you is a certain corset which is designed especially to mould your figure into simple, natural, graceful, youthful lines.

That corset is one of the 240 different C/B models—one for every type of woman.

Have your new spring gowns fitted over this corset. Their effect will please you more than any gowns you have ever had.

The leading stores are showing the new season's C/B's—handsome in their simple design and beautiful soft materials. You will be interested in the C/B novelties, such as the "Dancing" models. The better dealers all sell C/B Corsets. Prices \$1 to \$10. Ask to see your C/B at your favorite store today.

The Standard Everywhere for the Woman of Fashion

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KELLEY'S "ARMY"

Run Out of Sacramento and Across River After Battle With Police.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 10.—Bentley and badly disgraced, its leaders in Sacramento and provided with scanty food and shelter, the "unemployed army," driven from Sacramento, is encamped today across the river in Yolo County, a defeated lot of men.

Authorities are guarding the bridges and will not permit any to return. Yolo County officers, heavily armed, are keeping the men within the new camp made yesterday after being forced beyond the city limits.

With no spokesmen and no leaders, the "army" has put aside, temporarily, its projected trip to Washington, D. C., and turned its attention to obtaining subsistence. Forbidden to return to Sacramento and hemmed in on the south, north and west by flood waters of the Sacramento River, they are virtually helpless.

"Army" Is Being Fed.
The city and county governments have sent enough money to provide two meals. Yolo County, which Friday paid the "army's" transportation from Davis to Sacramento, has made no further effort to disperse the men. Protection of property and lives, they said, was of paramount importance and Gov. Johnson has been asked to call out the militia. He refused.

Sacramento's streets are well patrolled and the police say nearly all the men who scattered about the city when a portion of the army was routed and forced across the river, have joined their comrades in Yolo County.

Less than 100 of the 1700 men originally camped on the Southern Pacific company's land here are over the river. Many who deserted before the riots yesterday boarded trains out of the city.

Broken Heads and Noses.
No one was injured seriously when the police and special deputies routed the mob with clubs and fire hose. A few scalp lacerations, bruised bodies and broken noses resulted.

Applications will be made today for writs of habeas corpus in behalf of "Gen." Kelley and "Major" Thorne and other leaders now in jail. The authorities say if the men are sustained the town will be reentered as often as they are released.

WOMAN PUTS OUT FIRE

SET BY A BURGLAR

Mrs. E. B. Hayman Finds Blazing Paper in Room; Servant Sees Man Flee.

Mrs. E. B. Hayman of 420 Washington boulevard smelled smoke at 7:15 p. m. Monday and was starting upstairs to investigate when she heard a noise like a person crawling on the ceiling.

A moment later a negro servant saw a man run across the back yard and climb the alley fence.

In one of the bedrooms a piece of paper was found burning on the dresser and three burning handkerchiefs were scattered about the room.

Mrs. Hayman called her daughter, Miss A. L. Mayham, and they stamped out the flames.

The burglar took \$25 from the room of Miss Mayham and jewelry valued at \$60 from the room of Mr. and Mrs. Israel.

MEMBERS OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION NAMED

Geo. H. Shields, Ralph W. Coale, Thomas Wright and Louis Le Baume Appointed by Judges.

The Circuit Judges of St. Louis met Tuesday and appointed four members of the Board of Equalization, who with the president of the Board of Assessors, will hear complaints of property owners who think they have been assessed too high, and will make adjustments of assessments which they find to be either too low or too high.

The members appointed, who are required to be experienced property owners of the city, are George H. Shields, former Circuit Judge; Ralph W. Coale, real estate dealer; Thomas Wright, president of the Wright Clear Co. and vice-president of the Third National Bank; and Louis LeBaume, an architect.

The members of the board will receive \$5 a day while in session. No time has been set for the board to meet.

JUDGE HAS EXCITED INTRUDER ARRESTED

Judge D. P. Dyer of the United States Circuit Court had just left the bench and entered court chambers in the Federal Building at noon Tuesday when a man rushed into his presence and demanded that the Judge help him get some checks from the Mercantile Trust Co.

The intruder talked incoherently and the Judge ordered him out. The man refused to leave. Judge Dyer sent for United States Marshal Reberhardt.

Reberhardt took the man to the city dispensary. He was later taken to the observation ward at the city hospital.

ALDERMAN IS ROBBED.

Since the death of her son more than six months ago Mrs. James M. Sheer, wife of a St. Louis banker, has worn no jewelry. Sunday night burglars forced the rear door on the first floor of the Sheer residence, 314 North Seventh street, and stole two diamond rings, a diamond brooch, a silver watch and chain, all valued at \$50. A small sum of money also was taken. Mrs. Sheer told the police the jewelry was in a chamois bag, which was in a strong box under one of the beds on the second floor.

The burglar was apparently familiar with the premises, as he disturbed nothing but the jewelry box. The Sheers were away at the time.

THE POST-DISPATCH

STEEL COMPANY'S REPORT RAISES THE STOCK LIST

Prices Close Firm on Leading Corporation's Increase in Tonnage.

Steel Corporation's Tonnage Shows an Increase.
NEW YORK, March 10.—The Steel Corporation's report for the first quarter of 1914 shows an increase in tonnage of 10,000 tons over the preceding month.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, March 10.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today, says:

"The influence on today's generally sluggish stock market was the monthly report of orders on the Steel Corporation, whose tonnage increased during February far surpassed all expectation of a month ago, when cheerful sentiment still prevailed.

"Pittsburgh dispatches stated it as a possibility that the January increase of 23,500 tons, the largest since October, 1912, might be equalled and possibly exceeded during the present month.

"With the seeming subsidence of trade activity this prospect was modified. The fact that the monthly report of orders on the Steel Corporation, which was not so far astray, and that conditions in the industry are developing favorably.

Sterling Exchange Firm.
In the money market the only important development was a rise of a half-cent in sterling exchange, which banks made some large remittances through the Submarine and other banks, which reported last Saturday less than the previous day.

The advance was buying of commercial paper, and more or less bank money was put into corporation notes and bonds, which were offered at a better price here, as money rates at many interior markets offered at the quotation prevailing in this market.

DETAILED REPORT OF DAY'S WALL STREET TRANSACTIONS

Gains were the rule at the opening of the market, which showed a moderately strong undertone.

Canadian Pacific, which was especially weak towards yesterday's close, showed a point higher today.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Although the stock market exhibited weakness at various points during the morning, its general action convinced the bull that it had been through the worst of the storm.

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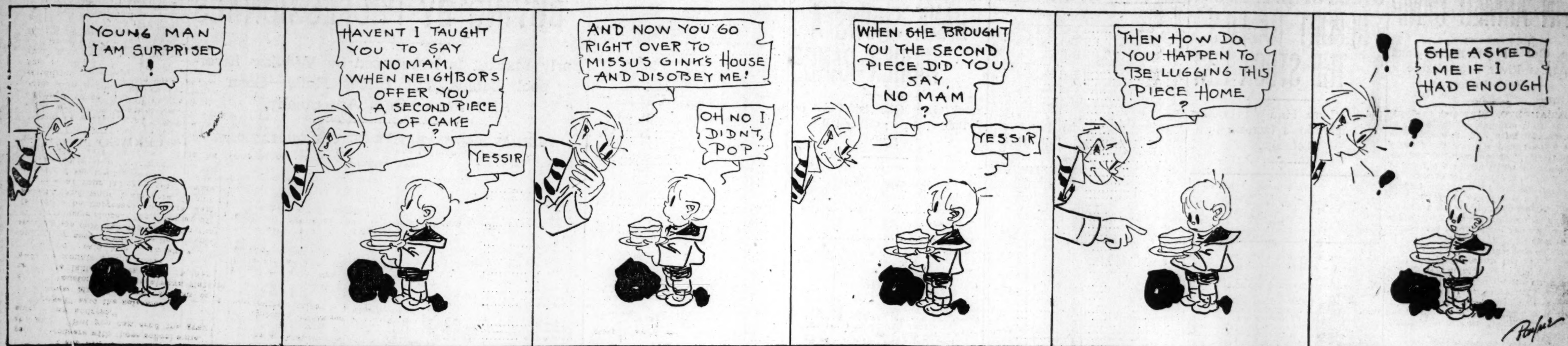
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S'Matter Pop?

Willie Said "No Ma'am" and He Meant It.

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
By C. M. PAYNE



This Pirate's Doom Drama Is Getting Serious

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
By VIC.



The Jarr Family

Written for the Post-Dispatch
By ROY L. MCCARDELL

Innocent Deceptions Make Mrs. Jarr's Shopping a Real Pleasure.

"BUT I want long pants, maw!" insisted Master Willie Jarr, when, with some reluctance, the salesman in the boys' clothing department brought out the all-school suits reduced from \$12 to \$7. "You are too young to have long trousers," said his mother, "and you will do as mamma bids you. Have you extra knickerbockers with these suits?" this last to the clerk. "You know how hard little boys are on trousers."

But to only who had managed his father and turned him out of hand, control of the suit was an easy task for Mrs. Jarr.

"Willie," she remarked calmly, "if you do not behave yourself I will get that Sten suit and that Scotch suit and make you wear them."

This dreadful threat silenced Master Willie. He gave one last lingering look at the long trousers he desired and then thought of the Sten roundabout and the Highland kilts and shuddered.

Mrs. Jarr had opened her handbag to get out the newspaper clipping of the advertisement to see if the suits shown her looked like the costumes pictured. "I don't see why there isn't an extra pair of trousers with those school suits," she said. "But you can send the gray suit to my address."

"Charge!" said the salesman. He knew Mrs. Jarr was a cash or c. o. d. customer, but it always flattered the ladies to ask them if they hadn't accounts at the store.

"Oh, no," said Mrs. Jarr. "I haven't an account with this firm." This implied she only had accounts with the more exclusive shops. The salesman affected to be impressed and Mrs. Jarr added, "And while I am here, I think I'll look at your ladies' shoes. I want a pair of serviceable boots."

"The ladies' shoe department is on the next aisle," said the clerk. "Fine big boy; how old is he, did you say?" "He's just 11," replied the fond mother. "And he wears 15-year sizes in school suits, my, my, remarked the clerk in admiring tones. "Look at the label." And, sure enough, on all the labels, sewed on very tight and hard, whereas the buttons hung but by a thread or two, was the marking: "Size 15 years."

"Yes, Willie is a big boy for his age," murmured Mrs. Jarr proudly. "He takes after the men of my side of the family. The shoes, you say, are on the next aisle?" The salesman bowed, marked down the delivery directions, called "Forward!" and handed Mrs. Jarr over to the shoe salesman.

Hits From Sharp Wits

He who laughs last doesn't get the next chance to tell his joke.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

The world is full of things to be thankful for if one could only get hold of them.—Deseret News.

The door always has it on the dresser because he never has to wake up.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Many a young husband thinks his wife is the first mate until she turns out to be a skipper.—Columbia State.

An exhibition of temper is sometimes a mere curtain raiser to a play of passion.

It isn't so much what a man knows that counts, as how well he uses his knowledge.—Albany Journal.

Some persons pray for a little of everything but gratitude, the very quality that would make them feel good.

The greatest fault of a man who's a bore is that he can't put himself in the other man's place.—Albany Journal.

A man and his conscience ought to get together once in a while, even if his conscience does demand an apology.—Toledo Blade.

The men who have "money to burn" are usually the ones who are the most careful in the matter of keeping up payments on their fire insurance.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

"In this world a man must be either anvil or hammer," said Longfellow. Our observation is that a large majority of them are hammers and quite busy knocking.—New Orleans States.

Philosophers tell us to brighten the world with our smiles, which would be all right were there not so many people who are happy only when they have something to make them sob.—Toledo Blade.

A Spring Girl

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
By MAURICE KETTEN



Bright Lines From the Latest Plays

From George W. Monroe's monologue at the Shubert this week. "I've just come from my singing teacher. Gee whis, she's terribly worried about my voice. She's afraid she'll have to take a hammer to it. She told me today that if she were me she'd sing inwardly. She says that if I sing inwardly I'll make more money and more friends than if I sang outwardly. I thought that was very nice and very sweet of her. You see, I can't help having a lovely voice. Oh, dear, no. I come from a musical family. Sister Gladys was an alto, Sister Helen was a contralto, Brother Ladore was a tenor, Brother Michael Angelo was a basso profundo and I, well, I'm a mezzo contralto from Cincinnati. We came by our musical abilities naturally. We inherited them. Father was a contortionist. He could twist himself into all kinds of shapes—a figure eight, a monkey wrench or a corkscrew. One night he had a terrible accident. While doing his corkscrew act he started to warble. Somehow his

warble got tangled up with his corkscrew and he couldn't untangle himself. He got all twisted up and choked to death. Yes, poor father passed away. We called in a crooked undertaker and buried him in South Bend, Ind. I must tell you about my sweetheart, Michael Angelo McGuckin. I met him the first time in more than a month the other night and he took me to a dance—the Garbage Gentlemen's Ball. It was a swell affair. After the dance was over McGuckin says to me: "Gladys,"

says he (you see, Gladys is my Thursday name. That's the day I always get paid and get my night off and he's always glad to see me. He always likes to give me a good time. He don't care how I spend my money). Well, he was that as it may, as I was saying, "Gladys," says Mike, "how would you like to have a hunk of supper?" Now, I dislike the word hunk, but I'm passionately fond of supper. So, drawing myself up to my full height, I looked at him askance and he withdrew hunk.

How Father Spent Sunday.

The new parson was making pastoral calls in his parish and stopped to converse with a small boy at the garden gate. "And where does your father go on Sundays, my little man?" "Well, on fine Sundays he goes golfing and on wet Sundays he turns us all out to church so he can have a bit of peace in the house."

Good Idea.

Fair Hostess: Do cheer up, Mr. Grump and I'll give you more coffee. Mr. Grump: Thanks! Please do! It may keep me awake.—Farm and Fireside.

Evading the Question.

Mistress: Are you a good cook? Applicant: Yes'm. I go to church every Sunday.—Judge.

Pa's Diary

By Hazen Conklin.

M and Clarice ain't got back from the opera yet, so I guess I can eat a good breakfast again tomorrow.

Jepson, my sales manager, was up to night, and he says the Dobbins' Old Plantation Soap is going big in the new Southern territory we opened up. It's the same old soap we sell up North here as Dobbins' Housewife's Friend, and out West as Dobbins' Gold Bar, only it's got a different label and we have to sell it three for 10 instead of 5 a cake. There's profit enough at that price.

We ain't got no name yet for the new toilet soap. Jepson says put a pretty girl's picture on it and call it the Clarice brand, after Clarice, but I know just what would happen if we did, so he's going to dig up another name. Ma would say folks would get wise to the connection, and that a pretty girl's picture would be an insult to Clarice. So what's the use?

I have been thinkin' over what they said about me dressin' for dinner. I asked Jepson about it, and he said it was a darned nuisance, but it had to be done. If he has to stick on a swell, cravat on a salary of \$15,000 a year, I guess I'll have to, for my income's well, I won't put it down, even in my diary, because those income tax fellows is regular ferrets. I'll see if I can get one tomorrow ready made. Mebbe I'll surprise Ma and Clarice tomorrow night.

Ma wants me to have a val-ay. She says it's a man to tend to dressin' me. As if I'd have a grown man hitchin' up my suspenders and tyin' my neckties. I can get into my clothes quicker alone and my neckties is all ready tied and snap on over my collar button. Anyway, I'd be ashamed to look the feller in the face.

She says it sounds better to have it said that I have a val-ay, but to my notion it sounds worse. Besides, I ain't helpless—yet. Jepson ain't got no val-ay. I asked him, and he give me a queer look.

"No," he says. "All I got is a cook and a maid and a sho-fer, and that's quite enough."

I guess he looks at servants the same as I do. We got a big house, I'll admit, and I can see the need of a girl to keep it tidy-sweepin' and such to lift the work off Ma's shoulders—but I like Ma's cookin', the same as she used to do upstate when we was first married, better than I do the fol-de-rol messes our French cook fixes up, and

The Day's Good Stories

Wit in a Pinch.

A CADET officer in the Pennsylvania Military College was reported by a faculty officer for "Language"—rather a severe mark in that austere institution. At the time appointed for the hearing of "explanations" of marks the offending cadet presented himself before the commandant.

"Well, sir, how did it happen that you were guilty of using improper language while on duty?" the Colonel inquired.

"Why, sir, as officer-of-the-day I was inspecting the guard. In handling one of the rifles the lock snapped shut on my finger, and it just naturally pinched 'hell' out of me."

Not only was the mark "taken off," but the Colonel gleefully reported to the entire corps the cadet officer's witty explanation of his offense.—Lippincott.

Teacher's Theory Shattered.

"CHILDREN," said the teacher to his pupils, "you should be able to do anything equally well with either hand. With a little practice you will find it just as easy to do anything with one hand as it is with the other."

"Is it?" inquired the urchin at the foot of the class. "Let's see you put your left hand in the right-hand pocket of your trousers."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Two Misses and One Miss.

A MAIDEN lady, Miss Cocker by name, and her niece, who bears the same cognomen, went one evening to a reception at the house of a friend. "What name, please?" inquired the hostess.

"Miss Cocker," answered the elder lady. "Miss Cocker, too," joined the niece hurriedly.

Whereupon the man of plush and buttons opened the drawing room door and, with all the dignity of his profession, ushered them into the midst of the company with the convulsive announcement: "Miss Cocker and Miss Cockertoe!"—Pittsburg Chronicle.

Not One Did.

"I NDEED," the lecturer went on, in a quizzical way, "I believe I am justified in asserting that nine women out of 10 practically propose to the men they become engaged to. As a test, I would ask all married men in the audience whose wives virtually proposed the question to them to rise." There was a subdued rustle in the auditorium, and in the dense silence that ensued could be heard sibilant feminine whispers in concert. "Just you dare stand up!"—Pittsburg Leader.

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